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***Subject** Breach in the main pipe of the Distillery water supply works

Excise Comr's no 1818/79 dated 18th/3rd September 1902

Note

The main pipe of the Distillery water supply works breached & was at once reported by the Excise Commr, Bangalore Dn (Please see the enclosures to the Excise Comr's letter).

2. In this connection the Agent of the Manufacturers has written to the Excise Comr to the effect that the latter is responsible for all loss incurred owing to want of water & the work consequently going slow. The amount of such loss is not stated. The Excise Comr expresses his doubt whether such a liability exists under clause 2 of the

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is purely used steel for the use of the distillery buildings and the arrangements connected with the water supply, the manufacturer shall pay such rent as may be fixed by Govt The rent fixed to be thus payable by the manufacturer is Rs 500 per mensem as per clause II of para 8 of Notn no 9515 & 7-1-1901 of 17th December 1901. The manufacturer has also to execute repairs at his own cost to the distillery buildings & Channel provided the annual cost of such repairs does not exceed Rs 50/-

Submitted to Secretary for orders

4/10/02

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The liability does not seem to exist but for one to be certain, more detailed information is necessary. Unless the Contractors seriously urge their claim

What formalities are the agreement?

I do not see why any notice should be taken of the claim.

I think this may be filed merely or a reply sent that if the claim is advanced seriously, the Sec. C= shd ascertain the grounds of it & report with his opinion to Govt.

8/10/1902

To the Dewan
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Hd 9/10/02

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In Govt. Proc. no 216 / 24252-92 of 27-10-0
the Excise Commr was requested
to submit a detailed report on
the subject of the manufacturers
pressed Klein claim for
damages - with reference to
this, the Govt Commr forwards for
information copy of a further
Communication from the manu-
facturers, wherein are given
the full particulars of the
breach in the main pipe of the
distillery water supply works -
The manufacturers have also
admitted that the loss incurred
by them is only small - They
do not therefore press to have
Klein claim for damages -
The present Communication
from the Excise Commr may be
filed after perusal by the Councillors
it is submitted

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Subject to Sect 14 & the Dewan

No order or payment is required
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Rec 24/11 Rec 6 Pm.

Ext. 22 18-11-02

To the Dewan through the 2nd Councillor.

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GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

Rules under Section 29 of the Mysore Excise Regulation No. V. of 1901.

Notification No. 11387—Ex. F. 3-1901, dated Bangalore, 8th January 1902.

The following Rules, framed by the Government of Mysore under Section 29 of the Mysore Excise Regulation No. V of 1901, and in exercise of all other powers enabling them in this behalf, are hereby published for general information in supersession of all existing rules on the subjects herein dealt with :—

PRELIMINARY.

These Rules are divided into three parts, namely—

PART I.—The Manufacture of Arrack and other Country Spirits, and Management and Supervision of the Distillery and Bonded Depôts.

PART II.—The grant of "Vend Farms" and "Separate Shops"; the Sale and Transport of Arrack and other Country Spirits; and issue of Licenses and Passes; and

PART III.—Miscellaneous.

PART I.

THE MANUFACTURE OF ARRACK AND OTHER COUNTRY SPIRITS, AND MANAGEMENT AND SUPERVISION OF THE DISTILLERY AND BONDED DEPÔTS.

I. The exclusive privilege of the manufacture of arrack and other country spirits shall be disposed of, from time to time, in such manner and for such fixed period as the Government may direct and appoint in that behalf.

II. The person to whom this privilege may be granted (called the Manufacturer), shall exercise the same in strict accordance with the Excise Laws passed by the Government of Mysore and to the Excise Law in force for the time being within the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, and subject specially to the following conditions :—

1. The privilege granted to the Manufacturer shall not include the manufacture or sale of toddy, of "foreign spirits and foreign fermented liquors" or of country beer.

2. The Manufacturer shall manufacture arrack and other country spirits within the enclosure of the Government Distillery near Bangalore, or at such other place as may be approved by the Government. For the use of the Distillery building

near Bangalore and the arrangements existing in connection with the water-supply, the Manufacturer shall pay such rent as may be fixed by Government.

3. The price at which the Manufacturer shall supply arrack to the Government, and to separate shop-keepers and renters of Vend Farms in defined tracts shall be fixed for 20° under-proof ; for other single-distilled spirits of greater or less strength than 20° under-proof, which may be specially manufactured and issued under rules sanctioned by the Government, the price shall be calculated proportionately upon the price for 20° under-proof, in accordance with Casella's rules. But for double-distilled or rectified country spirits and other special liquors of whatever strength manufactured and issued with the approval of Government, the Manufacturer, as well as the persons entitled to vend the same, shall be at liberty to fix their own prices.

4. The Manufacturer shall ordinarily keep in store at the Central Distillery a supply sufficient for a month's consumption, and never less than 18,000 gallons of admissible spirit in terms of 20° under-proof.

5. The Manufacturer will be allowed to purchase arrack and other country spirits from any Sugar Factory which may be established in Mysore, and which may be authorized by Government to distil arrack and other country spirits, the grant of the privilege of manufacture to the Manufacturer notwithstanding, the Government always retaining the power to authorize the distillation of arrack and other country spirits in any Sugar Factory. Should the Manufacturer himself establish a Sugar Factory and distil arrack and other country spirits therein with the permission of the Government, he will be bound to keep in stock at such factory, such quantities of arrack and other country spirits as may be fixed by Government.

6. In outlying tracts where, owing to small consumption or other causes, there is reason to suspect illicit distillation, Government shall be at liberty to establish out-stills, after giving the Manufacturer the first refusal of so doing.

7. The Government may allow the Manufacturer to manufacture Colombo or other kinds of arrack, subject to such conditions as to the mode of manufacture, the payment of duty, the agency for sale, and other matters, as the Government may prescribe.

8. (1) The Manufacturer shall, upon receipt by him of price at the rate fixed by his contract, sell the arrack at the Government Distillery or other place where he may be allowed to manufacture the same. Such sales shall only be—

1st, for the supply of such Bonded Depôts as Government may, from time to time, establish and maintain ;

2nd, to separate shop-keepers licensed to sell in the cities of Bangalore and Mysore and Kolar Gold Fields, and in other places to which the Separate Shop system has been, or, may be extended ;

3rd, to renters of Vend Farms to whom the Government may sell the right to vend arrack in defined tracts.

4th, For the supply of the Government Excise Depôt, in the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore in compliance with indents received from the Superintendent of Excise, Civil and Military Station, through the Senior Officer in charge of the Distillery. Arrack supplied to the Civil and Military Station will not be paid for in advance but once a fortnight on receipt of bills from the Contractor to be submitted to the Collector, Civil and Military Station, through the said Superintendent of Excise.

(2) The Manufacturer shall have no interest in the retail vend of arrack.

(3) The Manufacturer shall sell double-distilled or rectified spirits and other special liquors manufactured by him to the licensees for the vend of " Foreign Spirits and Foreign Fermented Liquors" other than *draught* foreign malt liquors. He shall also sell the same to Bonded Depôts and to Hospitals and other public institutions on the Excise Commissioner's requisition.

(4) No spirit shall be allowed to be removed from the Government Distillery, or other authorized place of manufacture, or from a Bonded Depôt, unless the purchaser produces a Treasury receipt for the amount of duty paid therefor.

NOTE.—This condition does not apply to removal of arrack for the supply of the Government Excise Depôt in the Civil and Military Station for which no Treasury receipt will be required.

III. The following rules shall regulate the relations of an in-coming Manufacturer to an out-going Manufacturer :—

1. The out-going Manufacturer shall give, and the in-coming Manufacturer shall take over, any arrack and other country spirits and special liquors not exceeding a month's supply which may remain as stock in hand on the last day of the expiring contract, the latter paying the former for the same such value as may be fixed by the Excise Commissioner.

2. Should the in-coming Manufacturer or the Excise Commissioner so require, by at least one week's previous notice in writing, the out-going Manufacturer shall cease preparing "wash" during the last month of the expiring contract, and vacate the buildings so as to admit of the in-coming Manufacturer commencing operations. Should no such notice be given, the out-going Manufacturer may continue distilling till the end of his contract, after which further distillation by him must cease.

3. The out-going Manufacturer shall sell, and the in-coming Manufacturer shall buy, all apparatus and stock and block belonging to the former at the Government Distillery near Bangalore or other authorized place of distillation for a fair and equitable price to be fixed by the Excise Commissioner, calculating the original cost and deducting therefrom such portion of it on account of depreciation as may be considered reasonable. Timely notice of the price thus fixed will be given to the out-going Manufacturer and to intending tenderers by a Notification duly published in that behalf.

4. Improvements of a permanent nature shall be retained and shall not be disturbed except with the approval of the Executive Engineer.

IV. The following rules shall regulate the management and supervision of the Distillery and the manufacture and storage of arrack and other country spirits and special liquors therein :—

1. The Distillery shall be opened at sun-rise and be closed at sun-set, except on Sundays and authorized holidays, when it will be closed, unless when, under the special orders of the Excise Commissioner, and on such conditions as he may prescribe, it is worked during nights and on holidays to bring up stock or to meet urgent demands. The holidays herein referred to shall be such as may, from time to time, be prescribed by the Excise Commissioner.

2. The Distillery shall be open at all times for inspection by the officers of the Excise Department, or by any other officer appointed for the purpose. All locks of the Distillery shall be sealed after work is closed each day, and the keys delivered under seal to the officer in charge of the Distillery for safe custody.

3. No arrack shall be taken out of the Distillery until it has been measured or weighed and tested by an official of Government appointed for that purpose.

4. The Manufacturer shall promptly execute such repairs to the Distillery buildings and channels as may be pointed out by the Executive Engineer, provided the annual cost of such repairs does not exceed 50 rupees.

5. The spirits manufactured shall be of good quality. The articles used in distilling shall be approved by the senior officer in charge of the Distillery. No ingredients obnoxious to health shall be used in distilling, or put into the arrack or other country spirit or special liquor after it has been manufactured. Standard saccharometers by Long and Dring and Fage, for determining the gravity of the "wash" in its several stages till distillation, shall be kept by the Manufacturer, and a true and correct record maintained for verification and check by the Excise Officers. All "wash" shall be secured under lock and key and kept in closed rooms. All spirits shall be kept in a store-room which will be provided by Government for the purpose, and the key of which will be kept by the officer in charge.

6. The spirits manufactured shall not be adulterated or diluted. Only distilled water must be used at the Distillery under the supervision of the senior officer in charge of the Distillery, for the purpose of reducing the strength of the same.

7. The measure to be used at the Distillery shall be the standard imperial gallon; and $\frac{1}{5}$st part thereof shall be equal to one "arrack dram" of 1,500 minims. These measures shall be passed and sealed by the Excise Department.

8. Casella's and Cartier's hydrometers shall be supplied to the Distillery at the expense of the Manufacturer.

9. No weak spirits below 60° under-proof by Casella's or below 15° by Cartier's hydrometer, or faints, or hot or warm spirits of higher temperature than 90° Fah. or spirits tainted with venom or verdigris, shall be admitted into stores or used for blending purposes.

10. Spirit in any way discolored or with a burnt or bad smell, as well as faints, shall be re-distilled.

11. In stills which have not been worked for more than three days, distillation of ordinary "wash" may be carried on, provided that the spirit, which runs from such stills during the first three hours from the commencement of such distillation, be re-distilled.

12. The Manufacturer shall keep true and correct accounts, in the prescribed forms, of his receipts and disbursements, and of the quantity and strength of the spirits manufactured in, and issued from, the Distillery, and of all materials received and expended daily at the Distillery. The cash accounts of the Manufacturer shall be posted up daily, each item of purchase of stock being duly vouched ; and an abstract of the cash accounts in the prescribed form shall be furnished monthly to the Excise Commissioner's Office, duly attested by the Manufacturer or his Agent. He shall produce all such accounts, whenever required to do so, for inspection by the Excise Commissioner or any other officer appointed for the purpose.

V. The following rules shall be observed with regard to the issue of arrack and other country spirits and special liquors from the Distillery :—

1. The in-coming Manufacturer shall issue arrack and other country spirits and other special liquors from the Distillery to Bonded Depôts, if so required by the Excise Commissioner, in sufficient time (not exceeding two weeks prior to the commencement of his contract) to have his supply ready in all Bonded Depôts for issue from the 1st July of the first year of his contract. Arrack shall ordinarily be issued at a strength of 20° under-proof except in special cases hereinafter mentioned.

2. Should the licensees for the vend of Foreign Spirits and Foreign Fermented Liquors desire to have other country spirits, the spirits issued to them shall be double-distilled or rectified spirits, which shall not be of a greater strength than 10° under-proof and of a lower strength than 15° under-proof. Such spirits shall be issued from the Distillery in two dozen quart bottles, four dozen pints, and so on, for lower denominations of flasks, as for English and other Foreign spirits ; the bottles shall be paid for by the licensee and the spirits shall be issued in such bottles from the Distillery, with the seals and labels affixed on them by the senior officer in charge of the Distillery, and under cover of his passes. In cases in which breakage in transit may be apprehended, the senior officer will arrange for the bottling and sealing being done by Range Inspectors to whom adequate supplies of such spirits may be sent in jars from the Distillery for the purpose.

3. The duty payable to Government for spirits thus supplied, shall be calculated proportionately on the rate prescribed per gallon of arrack 20° under-proof or at such other rate as may, from time to time, be fixed by Government. The accounts for such spirits shall be kept separately.

4. Should the aforesaid licensees wish to have spirits of higher strength than 10° under-proof, they shall obtain therefor the special orders of the Deputy Commissioner of the District for which the spirits are intended. Under these special orders, such spirits shall be inserted in their licenses, the fact being reported to the Excise Commissioner, for communication to the Distillery Officer.

5. No arrack below 20° under-proof shall ordinarily be issued from the Distillery ; but should there be a demand for arrack of lower strength than 20° under-proof, arrack at 30° under-proof may be specially issued from the Distillery, such arrack being kept and accounted for separately both in the Distillery and in Bonded Depôts.

6. Old arrack (*i. e.*, arrack 10 or more days old,) shall, as a rule, be issued from the Distillery and shall be passed at 20° under-proof, for Depôts within 50 miles, and at 19·5° under-proof for Depôts more than 50 miles, from the Distillery, and charged for at 20° under-proof. But when, owing to short stock or otherwise, such old arrack is not available and it is found necessary to issue fresh arrack, *i. e.*, arrack less than 10 days old, such fresh arrack shall be passed at 19·5° under-proof for Depôts within 50 miles, and at 19° under-proof for Depôts more than 50 miles, from the Distillery, and shall be charged for at 20° under-proof.

7. No arrack of 20° under-proof shall be removed from the Distillery in less quantity than two gallons.

8. The senior officer in charge of the Distillery, upon written application made to him for the purpose, may, with the permission of the Excise Commissioner, grant to respectable private individuals for *bona fide* private use, but not for sale, and to hospitals and museums and other public institutions, spirit of any strength manufactured at the Distillery, at proportionate rates of duty, in quantities of not less than one ordinary quart bottle, the price charged by the Manufacturer being paid to the Manufacturer, and duty to the senior officer in charge of the Distillery, who shall remit the duty to the Treasury without unnecessary delay. Provided, that no duty shall be charged in the case of spirits issued for the use of the Medical Department of the Mysore Government.

9. The Manufacturer may, with the permission of the Excise Commissioner, manufacture double-distilled or rectified country spirits of any strength not below 15° under proof, milk-punch or any other special liquors, under the supervision of the Excise Officers, who will recover from the Manufacturer the duty on the spirit used for the preparation of milk-punch or any other special liquors. Such spirits and special liquors, when duly bottled, sealed and labelled by the senior officer in charge of the Distillery at the Manufacturer's expense, may be sold direct from the Distillery to respectable persons with the Excise Commissioner's previous sanction, and to the licensees for the vend of Foreign spirits and Foreign fermented liquors. The prices at which such spirits and special liquors shall be sold will be fixed by the Manufacturer.

VI. At every Distillery the following registers shall be kept in the forms prescribed by the Excise Commissioner:—

(1) * Registers of the quantity of arrack and other country spirits and special liquors manufactured.

(2) * Detailed register of the daily issues of arrack, &c., and of the strength of the arrack, &c., issued.

(3) * Ledger account of the quantity of arrack, &c., issued to each Bonded Depot, &c.

(4) (*a*) Register of rahadaris to Farm Depots, &c.
(*b*) Register of passes to Bonded Depots.

(5) Register of special passes.

(6) * Register of stills, casks, vessels, &c., used in the Distillery.

(7) * Register of methylated spirits.

(8) * Receipt book.

(9) Cheque book.

(10) Cash book.

VII. 1. The Distillery shall be open only for the entrance and exit of Excise Officers or other persons who have business within it; others who may desire to inspect the Distillery shall obtain the special permission of the Excise Commissioner.

2. All persons entering the Distillery shall be under the orders of the officer in charge, in respect of their conduct and proceedings within the Distillery, and shall be liable to be searched on their quitting the premises, at the discretion of the officer in charge. The Manufacturer and his Agent and any superior official of the Manufacturer named by him or his Agent, will be exempted from the operation of this rule.

VIII. Government shall not be held responsible for the destruction, loss or damage of any arrack and other spirits and special liquors stored in the Distillery, by fire or theft or by any other cause whatever. In case of fire or other accident, the officers in charge of the Distillery shall render all assistance that may be required of them by the Manufacturer.

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* Those marked with asterisks shall be kept by the Manufacturer as well as by the Government officer.

IX. The Manufacturer shall see that his employees give full effect to the rules and orders passed by Government for the custody and regulation of the stock distilled and passed out, the cleanliness of all vessels used, the tinning of metal vessels, the watch, ward and sanitary condition of the enclosure, and other matters affecting either the Government or the Manufacturer's interests, or both.

X. The Manufacturer shall conform to the provisions of the Excise Regulation for the time being in force and to the rules hereinbefore contained or any other existing Rules, and any additional rules that may be prescribed from time to time by the Government; and he shall see that all his employees give full effect to them.

XI. If any wilful breach of the provisions of the aforesaid Regulation or Rules is committed by the Manufacturer, or with his connivance and privity, by any of the men employed by him in the manufacture, custody, carriage or sale of arrack, it shall be at the discretion of the Government to suspend or cancel the privilege, and declare the deposit made by the Manufacturer forfeited, and cause the business to be carried on under the supervision of Government officials of the Excise Department, or by a new Manufacturer, or in any other manner the Government may direct.

XII. 1. Every Bonded Depot and Farm Depot shall be open from 6 A. M. to 11 A. M., and again from 2 P. M. to 8 P. M. No arrack or other spirits or special liquors shall be issued from any Depot after 8 P. M., except with the special permission of the Deputy Commissioner granted for the purpose of meeting urgent demands on occasions of festivals, &c.

2. At every Bonded Depot and Farm Depot the following registers shall be kept in the forms prescribed by the Excise Commissioner :—

(1) Register of arrack, &c., received from the Distillery and of the daily issues of the same.

(2) Ledger account of the quantity of arrack, &c., issued to each farm, shop, &c.

(3) Register of casks, vessels, &c., used in the Depot.

XIII. An "Inspection book" in such form as the Excise Commissioner may, from time to time, prescribe, shall be kept at every Distillery, Bonded Depot, Farm Depot and shop, in which notes of inspection shall be recorded by the Excise Commissioner, Deputy Commissioner, Deputy Excise Commissioner, Excise Assistant Commissioner, Inspector or any other officer authorized to inspect them.

XIV. All stills, casks, copper and other vessels and utensils used for carrying on the business of the Distillery or Depot shall, from time to time, be inspected, measured and marked by the Inspector in charge of the Distillery, or by such other officer as may be appointed by the Excise Commissioner in this behalf.

XV. The duties of the Excise Officers in charge of the Distillery and of the Government Contractor or his Agent in charge of Bonded Depots and of the keepers of Farm Depots, and the periodical returns, accounts, reports, &c., to be furnished or rendered by them, shall be such as may, from time to time, be prescribed by the Excise Commissioner.

XVI. The duties of the Distillery or Bonded Depot guard shall be as follows:—

(1) To remain within the enclosure from the time they are placed on guard until they are relieved.

(2) Not to allow any arrack, &c., to leave the Distillery or Bonded Depot except under cover of a rahadari, permit or pass.

(3) Not to allow any wash or wort to leave the Distillery under any circumstances whatever.

(4) Not to admit into the Distillery or Bonded Depot enclosure any one who is not authorized to enter.

(5) To keep the gate closed except for the entrance and exit of persons who have business connected with the Distillery or Bonded Depot

PART II.

The grant of "Vend Farms" and "Separate Shops;" the Sale and Transport of Arrack and other Country Spirits, and Issue of Licenses and Passes.

XVII. The period for which a "Vend Farm" or a "Separate shop" shall be granted, shall be the period from the 1st July in any year to the 30th June following. Provided that, with the approval of Government, the "Vend Farm" or "Separate shop" may be granted for a period extending to the 30th June of the second or third year succeeding the date of grant.

XVIII. For the purpose of "Vend Farms," each District shall be divided into defined tracts, either by each Taluk or each Hobli, or by groups of Hoblis, according to local convenience and circumstances. In large towns and other places, where necessary, each shop in a specified locality may be separately given out.

XIX. The exclusive privilege of vending arrack in such tracts or "Separate shops" shall be disposed of by sale by public auction. The sales shall be conducted by the Deputy Commissioner or an Assistant Commissioner authorized by the Deputy Commissioner in that behalf.

XX. The results of sales shall be reported to the Excise Commissioner without delay.

XXI. The terms and conditions of sale and the grant of farms and issue of licenses shall be as follows:—

1. The exclusive privilege of selling arrack in defined tracts or separate shops in specified localities shall be put up to auction farm by farm or shop by shop, as the case may be, at upset prices, and each farm or each shop put up to auction, will be knocked down to the approved highest bidder above those prices, subject to formal confirmation by the Deputy Commissioner, who will be at liberty to accept or reject the bid without assigning reasons for the same. Such formal confirmation will, unless revised by Government for special reasons, be tantamount to an acceptance of the bid. Should there be no bid above the upset price, the officer conducting the sale may lower the upset price at discretion. The condition and character of intending bidders may be enquired into; and the officer conducting the sale may, at the time of sale, refuse to receive the necessary deposit which gives the right to bid from persons regarding whom the result of such enquiries is not satisfactory. No former lessee who has been guilty of an infringement of the terms of his lease or of the Excise Laws or Rules, shall be entitled to bid. The officer conducting the sale shall not be bound to accept the highest bid; should he consider it to be so extravagantly high as to afford apprehension of the lease breaking down.

2. (*a*) Parties intending to bid must attend either in person or by duly authorized agents.

(*b*) No person shall be permitted to bid until he has deposited Rs. 200 for each defined tract or farm, or Rs. 60 for each separate shop in a specified locality, or such other reasonable amount as may be fixed by the officer conducting the sale; provided that the Government may at any time dispense with such initial deposit.

(*c*) The deposits made by unsuccessful bidders, if not forfeited as hereinafter provided, will be returned at the close of the sale.

(*d*) The successful bidder must, on the farm or shop being knocked down to him, and before the next farm or shop is put up for sale, deposit a sum equal to $\frac{3}{4}$ths of a month's rent in the case of a farm, and to $\frac{5}{8}$ths of a month's rent in the case of a shop.

(*e*) Within 15 days, or 7 days, as the case may be, from the date of confirmation of sale by the Deputy Commissioner, he must deposit such further sum as with the former deposit, will make up an aggregate sum equal to two months' rent. If he shall be found to be a foreigner having no property in the Mysore State or to be of doubtful solvency, he may be required to deposit twice the prescribed sum, or to get a surety, or sureties to execute a security bond for the due payment of all moneys that may become due by him under the terms of the contract.

(*f*) If he fail to make any of the deposits aforesaid, or to get the requisite surety or sureties, the deposits already made shall be forfeited, the farm or shop

shall be immediately re-sold or otherwise disposed of under orders of the Deputy Commissioner, and he shall be debarred from bidding again for the same or for any other farm or shop.

3. Resales effected under para 2 shall be at the risk of the defaulting bidder who shall forfeit all gain, and in the event of a loss by the resale, shall make good the deficiency between the total amount payable by him for the whole period under the terms of the original sale and the total amount payable by the successful bidder at the resale. In the latter case, the forfeited deposit shall be deducted from the loss arising from the resale ; and the remainder, if any, shall be recovered from the bidder in the same manner as if it were an arrear of Land Revenue. Should, however, the forfeited deposit be greater than the loss by resale, the whole of such deposit shall be credited to Government.

4. The purchaser of the exclusive privilege of vend in each defined tract or separate shop in specified locality shall sign an agreement binding himself and so much of his movable and immovable property as may be deemed sufficient by the Deputy Commissioner for the due fulfilment by the purchaser, of the terms of his agreement ; and the agreement shall be executed within ten days of the expiry of the period of fifteen days, or seven days, as the case may be, mentioned in para 2 above. If the purchaser fails or refuses to sign the agreement, all deposits already made shall be forfeited ; and the exclusive privilege shall be resold at the risk and loss of the first purchaser as set forth in paras 2 and 3, or be otherwise disposed of. In the case of the purchaser's death after confirmation of the sale, it shall be binding on his heirs or assigns.

5. As soon as the agreement has been executed, the Deputy Commissioner shall issue a license in the appended Form A, to the purchaser of each "Vend farm," and in the appended Form D to the purchaser of each "Separate shop," assigning to the purchaser the exclusive privilege referred to therein, subject to the following conditions :—

(1) The exclusive privilege shall extend only to the sale of arrack ordinarily of 20° under-proof, and with the special permission of the Deputy Commissioner or other officer authorized by him, to the sale of arrack of 30° under-proof. But it shall not extend to the sale of double-distilled or rectified country spirits and other special liquors of whatever strength, manufactured at the Government Central Distillery, and which the foreign liquor shop-keepers alone are permitted to sell.

(2) The amount for which the privilege has been purchased shall be payable into the local Taluk Treasury on the prescribed printed challans, in equal monthly instalments, commencing from the 1st month of the lease. Each instalment shall be regarded as the rent for the month in respect of which it is payable. Each month's rent shall be payable on or before the 20th of the same month. If default is made, the Amildar may, with the sanction of the Deputy Commissioner, declare, by record in writing, that the license is forfeited, and proceed to resell the farm or separate shop as soon after the last day of the month as may be possible. Provided, however, that instead of re-selling the farm as above, the Deputy Commissioner, may in his discretion, direct the Amildar to break up the defaulting farm into the existing number of shops within it, and to give each separate shop-keeper a license for the rent he agrees to pay, provided the total of such rents is not less than what the defaulting farmer had agreed to pay. The challans shall be in triplicate in the appended Form E. The original shall accompany the Treasury "Daily Cash" account sent to the District Treasury, the duplicate shall be forwarded by the Taluk Treasury Officer to the Excise Commissioner's office, and the triplicate retained with the renter.

(3) The deposit made by the licensee shall be taken in payment of the instalments due in the last two months of the period of the farm or separate shop. Provided, however, that where the farm or separate shop is resold or the farm is broken up under the provisions of sub-clause (2) above, the deposit shall, at the discretion of the Deputy Commissioner, be either forfeited or be appropriated towards the arrears due by the defaulter, as well as towards the deficits, if any, arising from the resale of the farm or separate shop. The balance of such arrears and deficits, if any, shall be recoverable from the licensee under the rules in force for the recovery of arrears of Land Revenue. No remission or abatement of the rent or compensation shall, on any account whatever, be claimable by the licensee.

(4) Interest at 6 per cent per annum shall be recoverable on all arrears from the date of default, and on deficits from the date of resale.

(5) (*a*) The licensee shall purchase the arrack, at the prescribed rate, from the Manufacturer or obtain the same from a Bonded Depot established as hereinafter provided.

(*b*) The licensee of every separate shop in the Cities of Bangalore and Mysore shall pay a registration fee under the Municipal Regulation, at the rate of Rs. 180 per annum in advance, for the period of the license for his shop; and he shall pay also a license fee of 4 annas per gallon on all arrack sold by him in excess of 55 gallons a month in each such shop.

(*c*) The rate payable as above under clauses (*a*) and (*b*) shall be in addition to Excise duty which shall be prepaid into the Taluk Treasury, or into any other Government Treasury with the permission of the Deputy Commissioner, at such rate or rates for arrack of the strength of 20° under-proof as may be fixed by Government, from time to time, and proportionately for lower strengths, before the removal of the arrack from the Distillery or from any Bonded Depot established as aforesaid.

(*d*) The licensee shall sell the arrack to the public at such rate or rates as may be fixed by Government, from time to time, for 20° under-proof and proportionately for lower strengths.

(6) (*a*) The licensee of every Vend Farm who obtains his supplies from the Distillery shall pay the above duty into the Taluk Treasury and obtain a receipt in the appended Form F, which shall be in triplicate, the original to accompany the "Daily Cash" account to the District Treasury, the duplicate to be delivered to the Officer in charge of the Distillery, and the triplicate to be retained with the licensee. On production of such receipt and an indent for the supply of the arrack covered by the receipt, and on payment of the price of such arrack to the Manufacturer or his Agent at the prescribed rate, obtaining a receipt from him therefor, the Inspector or other officer in charge of the Distillery shall issue the quantity of arrack covered by the amount of duty shown in the Treasury Officer's receipt, and he shall forward the Treasury receipt to the Excise Commissioner's Office under his endorsement as to the date and hour when the arrack was issued. The Inspector or other officer aforesaid shall then issue a rahadari in duplicate in the form hereinafter provided for the transport of arrack from the Distillery.

(*b*) The licensee of every Vend Farm who gets his supplies from a Bonded Depot, shall pay both the price and duty at the prescribed rates into the Taluk Treasury and obtain a receipt in the appended Form G, which shall be in triplicate, the original to accompany the "Daily Cash" account to the District Treasury, the duplicate to be delivered to the official in charge of the Bonded Depot, and the triplicate to be retained with the licensee. On production of such receipt and an indent, the Government Arrack Carrying Contractor's Agent in charge of the Bonded Depot shall issue the quantity of the arrack covered by the amount of price and duty shown in the Treasury receipt which shall be dealt with as laid down in the last preceding clause. The arrack issued to the licensee's shops shall be covered by permits as hereinafter provided.

(*c*) The licensee of every Separate Shop shall pay the above duty and price to a special shroff, appointed in this behalf at the cost of Government and located at the Taluk Cutcherry to receive such duty and price daily, including Sundays and holidays; and shall obtain a receipt in the prescribed printed Form "G". On production of such receipt and an indent for the supply of the arrack covered by the receipt, the Bonded Depot-keeper shall issue the quantity of arrack equal to the amount of duty shown in the said receipt which will be forwarded to the Excise Commissioner's Office under the endorsement of the Bonded Depot-keeper aforesaid, as to the date and hour when the arrack was issued. The Depot-keeper shall issue a pass in the prescribed form for the transport of arrack from the Bonded Depot.

(7) (*a*) Government may establish Depots in any specified tracts and arrange through a Government Contractor or Agent or in Amani to supply such Depots with the arrack required for the use of the renters of Vend Farms or Separate shop-keepers in specified localities. These Depots shall be called "Bonded Depots." In Districts for which such Bonded Depots are established, they shall generally be at the localities where whole-sale Depots existed on 31st March 1892, and serve the same tracts as the latter used to do. The Excise Commissioner shall have the power to alter the location

of any existing Bonded Depot, or open additional Depots, should such a step not involve additional expenditure in carriage or storage. The Government contractor shall transport arrack and other country spirits from the Distillery to Bonded Depots in his own casks, which shall be strong and sound. He shall also provide at his own cost, cocks and taps, gallon measures and other prescribed measures for the use of each Bonded Depot.

(*b*) The Government contractor shall pay for the rent and establishment of Bonded Depots.

(*c*) The establishment at each Bonded Depot shall be under the orders of the Government and of the Government contractor or his agent where one has been appointed for the working of Bonded Depots.

(*d*) The license to be issued to the Government contractor's agent in charge of each Bonded Depot shall be in the appended Form R, and the bond to be executed by the contractor shall be in the appended Form S.

(*e*) The licensee of every Vend Farm who draws his supplies from the Distillery, shall maintain at a place or places within his farm, where it may be considered necessary by the Deputy Commissioner, a depot or depots, to which all arrack purchased by him shall be conveyed in his own casks for verification, &c, of the consignment, under the rules hereinafter provided, before issue to the shop-keepers. The depots shall at all times be open to inspection by the Deputy Commissioner or any officer of the Excise Department. No such depot shall be opened without a license from the Deputy Commissioner in the prescribed Form B hereto appended.

(*f*) The licensee of every Vend Farm who draws his supplies from a Bonded Depot established by Government will not be required to open his own depot as laid down in the last preceding clause, or to provide himself with his own casks. In such cases the Government contractor, his agent or servants shall convey such licensee's supplies of arrack from the Distillery, and deliver the same to him or to the shop-keepers under him in the aforesaid Bonded Depot. Provided, however, that in the event of the licensee prepaying the duty and price of the whole contents of any casks received from the Distillery, he will be at liberty to distribute the whole quantity at once to his shops, or to remove it in his own vessels to any depot which he may open within his farm under the Deputy Commissioner's license, and issue therefrom the requisite supply to his shops. He shall be bound to keep in depots such stock of arrack as may be ordered by the Excise Commissioner.

(*g*) The licensee of every Separate shop shall take his supplies of arrack in his own vessels from the Bonded Depot to which it is attached.

(8) With the consignments of arrack from the Distillery or Bonded Depot to Farm Depôts, as well as with those from Farm Depôts or Bonded Depots to shops, sample bottles shall be issued in such manner as may be ordered by the Excise Commissioner. The arrack kept in Farm Depots or issued therefrom to shops, as well as the arrack kept in shops or sold therefrom to the public, shall be of the same quality and strength as issued from the Distillery or Bonded Depot, and shall not be adulterated or diluted in any manner whatever."

(9) The licensee of every Vend Farm or Separate shop shall keep true account, of the quantity and strength of the arrack purchased by him and issued.

(10) The arrack shall not be sold except in shops duly licensed by the Deputy Commissioner in the prescribed form, and no new shops shall be opened without the previous sanction of the Excise Commissioner.

(11) The Deputy Commissioner may, whenever he thinks fit, direct any shops to be closed, or permit transfers of shops from one place to another.

(12) The licensee of every Vend Farm shall not, during the term of the license have any interest in the exclusive privilege of vending toddy in any part of the taluk within which his farm is situated, nor permit any person having interest in the exclusive privilege of vending toddy in any part of the taluk to hold any share or interest in his exclusive privilege of selling arrack; nor shall he, during the term of his license, without the written permission of the Excise Commissioner, have any interest, direct or indirect, in any arrack farm in any districts of the Madras or Bombay Presidency under the British Government or in any other Foreign State or Territory.

(13) The licensee of every Vend Farm or Separate shop shall be bound to take over any arrack which may remain as stock in hand belonging to the outgoing

Farmer or Separate shop-keeper, as the case may be, on the first day of his lease, in the Bonded Depots or Farm Depots or in shops, paying to the outgoing Farmer or Separate shop-keeper such compensation for the same as may be fixed by the Excise Commissioner.

(14) The licensee shall be bound by the provisions of the Excise Laws and Rules in force and by any additional rules which may, from time to time, be prescribed under the Excise Laws. The licensee shall use such measures as may, from time to time, be prescribed by Government.

(15) The lease shall not be transferable except with the permission of the Excise Commissioner.

(16) The Deputy Commissioner shall grant to each shop under the Vend Farmers, a license in the appended Form

(17) Resignations, either in whole or in part, and of Separate shops, shall be summarily rejected by the Deputy Commissioner

6. In case of any breach of the aforesaid conditions or of the license either by the licensee or, with his connivance or privity, by any person in his employment, or in the event of the licensee neglecting to open his shops or to carry on the business of his Farm or Separate shop with due care and attention, it shall be competent to the Deputy Commissioner to impose upon the licensee of each Vend Farm a fine not exceeding the sum of Rs. 50, and of each Separate shop, a fine not exceeding Rs. 10, for every such breach or for such neglect, or at the option of the Deputy Commissioner to declare the money deposited with him forfeited, and to cancel the license and resell the exclusive privilege or to otherwise dispose of it at the risk of the licensee; or to place the Farm or Separate shop under the management of Government; and all loss thereby caused, together with all losses accruing to Government in consequence of the licensee's neglect to carry on his business by opening his shops on the first day of the first month of the lease, shall be made good by the licensee. When a lease is cancelled, the rent for the whole period of the lease shall become due at once. All such amounts of penalties and losses shall be recovered in the same manner as if they were arrears of Land Revenue.

7. The imposition of a fine or the forfeiture of deposit or the cancellation of the license under the last preceding condition shall not be held to prevent the prosecution of the licensee or his agents or employees for any offence punishable under the Excise Laws for the time being in force.

XXII. No arrack in cask shall be conveyed from the Distillery unless the name of the Distillery and the quantity, nature and strength of the arrack contained in the cask and the name of its destination are legibly painted, branded or cut on one end of such cask.

XXIII. A sufficient supply of casks to issue arrack to Bonded Depots, shall be kept in the Central Distillery or at any other place fixed for the purpose, by the Government contractor for the distribution of arrack to Bonded Depots, under the supervision of the Inspector or other Officer in charge of the Distillery. The serial number, name of the Distillery and capacity shall be legibly painted, branded or cut on the head of each of the casks. The casks for the hot weather shall be measured in February and those for the cold weather in August; the date of measure shall also be painted on each cask. Provided, that when the gauging is made by weighment, the measurement of casks may be dispensed with. A supply of tin plates with the names of the Bonded Depots painted or cut on them, shall also be kept in the Distillery at the cost of the distributing contractor. Before issuing any cask, the plate containing the name of the Bonded Depots for which the consignment is intended, shall be fastened on to it.

XXIV. The following rules shall be observed for issuing arrack and other country spirits from the Distillery to Bonded Depots, for the exercise of proper check over such consignments, and for the disposal of the passes with accompany them:—

1. For supplies of arrack or other country spirits, the contractor's agent in charge of the Bonded Depôt shall send to the Inspector or other officer in charge of the Distillery, an indent in the appended Form H, showing the number of casks jars or bottles of the same, wanted.

2. The Inspector or other officer aforesaid shall, thereupon, fill in the requisite number of casks, jars or bottles with the arrack or other spirit indented for, and issue a cheque in favor of the Manufacturer, on the Bangalore District Treasury, for the amount due to him on account of such arrack or other spirit, in the Appended Form I which shall be kept in triplicate, the original to be given to the Manufacturer, the duplicate sent to the Excise Commissioner's office at the close of each day, and the triplicate or counterfoil retained with the Inspector or other officer aforesaid.

3. The consignment shall be covered by a pass in the appended Form J, which shall be kept in triplicate, the original to be entrusted to the person accompanying the consignment, the duplicate forwarded to the Amildar of the Taluk in which the Bonded Depôt is situated, and the triplicate retained in the Distillery.

4. The consignment and the pass shall first be taken to the Amildar, or during his absence, to the Sheristadar, if the Depôt is situated at Taluk Head-quarters, or to such other official as the Amildar may depute for this purpose, if the Depôt is in any outlying town or village in his Taluk.

5. The contents of the pass shall be compared with the duplicate received by the Amildar, as well as with the details painted on the casks, and the seals, &c., on the casks examined. Discrepancies or other irregularities discovered shall be reported to the Deputy Commissioner, and to the officer in charge of the Distillery for necessary action.

6. The date and hour of receipt shall then be recorded on the back of the pass under the signature and designation of the Amildar or Sheristadar or other official appointed by the Amildar for this purpose, and the consignment then passed on to the Depôt to be there booked.

7. The pass shall at once be sent back by the contractor's agent in charge of the Depôt to the Government official appointed by the Amildar, who shall see that such agent has noted underneath the Taluk official's endorsement, "Contents received and booked," with the date and hour of receipt at the Depôt, and "the balance of stock of arrack or other spirit on hand when this consignment arrived," and if it has been verified by the Government officer who passed the consignment.

8. All the passes dated and issued in any one month shall, on the 10th of the following month, (by which time all previous month's consignments shall have been duly received and disposed of) be brought, with a list giving the name of Depôt, number, date and contents of pass (gallons and drams), to the Amildar, who shall, after satisfying himself that the instructions given above have been fully complied, will, score the pass across thus X in red ink from end to end, write the word "cancelled" across the face of each pass under his seal and signature, and send the list and the cancelled passes on to the Excise Commissioner. Passes dated and issued in one month, the consignments under which do not arrive before the 10th of the following month, shall be dealt with as above, and a supplemental list sent with them.

9. Amildars shall keep a register in the appended Form K in which the duplicates of passes sent to them under Rule 3, shall be entered. The particulars should be entered in this register in abstract as soon as they are received. The duplicate passes should be crossed thus X at the time the original is cancelled under Rule 8, and the corresponding entry in the register ticked off. If any consignment which has been advised in a duplicate pass, is not received within a reasonable time after the period allowed in the pass, the Amildar shall at once report the same to the Deputy Commissioner of the District who will institute the necessary enquiries. For this purpose, the register of passes should be scrutinized by the Amildar or Taluk Sheristadar every week or fortnight.

10. On receipt of the cancelled passes in the Excise Commissioner's Office, they shall be duly compared and verified with the duplicate cheques received under the above Rule 2, and with the accounts sent by the Inspector or other officer in charge of the Distillery, and with the Accounts received from Bonded Depôts, and then filed till six months after each lease has been closed, when they may be destroyed under the supervision of some responsible officer.

11. When consignments are received without a pass, the same shall be attached, and the matter at once brought to the notice of the Amildar. If he is satisfied that no fraud exists, he may release the consignments on the security of the Government arrack-carrying Contractor's Agent in charge of the Bonded Depôt, intimating particulars to the Excise Commissioner, who will, after necessary enquiry, direct the

issue of a special pass to cover the consignment. This special pass shall be in the same form and issued in the same manner as the ordinary passes, but on paper of different color, in the appended Form L. It shall be issued by the senior officer in charge of the Distillery, who will sign the same.

12. If the contents in gallons or the number as given in the original pass and its duplicate differ from those noted on the cask, the consignment shall be sent on to the Depôt with the precautions which are required to be taken under Rule 11, to be there examined either by the Amildar himself or by any other officer appointed by him, and a report of such examination shall be forwarded by the Amildar to the Deputy Commissioner. If the place given on the cask differs from that entered in the pass, the cask shall not be sent to the Depôt, but kept with the Amildar, the matter being reported to the Central Distillery. The Government Contractor's Agent in charge of the Bonded Depôt shall at once apply for fresh stock by telegraph if possible.

13. When any consignment is forwarded by railway, the original pass together with the railway receipt shall be forwarded to the Amildar of the Taluk in which the place of destination is situated. On the arrival of the consignment, the Amildar or other official deputed by him, shall receive the consignment and deal with it under the provisions of the foregoing rules.

14. Any cartman or other person entrusted with the consignment, omitting or neglecting to exercise due care and attention in regard to the consignment, or failing to deliver it within the limited time without sufficient excuse, shall be punishable departmentally by the Deputy Commissioner with a fine not exceeding Rs. 50.

15. On the Manufacturer delivering the cheques referred to in the above Rule 2, the officer in charge of the Bangalore District Treasury, shall pay him the money therein mentioned as an advance which shall be adjusted as explained in the following rule.

16. Of the amounts paid by the licensees into Treasuries as per receipt G under condition (6) of para 5 of Rule XXI, the price of arrack shall be credited to the head "Remittance Deposits," the duty alone being credited at once to the appropriate budget head "Excise Revenue." The Treasury Officer shall transfer at the end of each month all the money under "Remittance Deposits" to the Bangalore District Treasury by means of "Public Service Remittance Transfer Receipt," towards the adjustment of the advances made to the Manufacturer under the last preceding rule. The Treasury Officer, Bangalore District, shall forward to the Comptroller a monthly report of the Excise advances in the appended Form Q.

XXV. The following rules shall be observed for exercising proper check over consignments of arrack sent from the Distillery to the Depôts under the "Vend farmers" who draw their supplies direct from the Distillery, and over issues of arrack from Bonded Depôts and Farm Depôts to the shop-keepers under Vend farmers and from Bonded Depôts to Separate shop-keepers:—

1. Every consignment from a Distillery shall be covered by a rahadari in the appended Form M, which shall be sent with the person accompanying the consignment as proof of his authority to carry; a duplicate thereof shall, at the same time, be sent on to the Amildar of the taluk in which is situated the depôt to which the consignment is made. The counterfoil of the Rahadari shall be retained in the Distillery office. The rahadari, its duplicate and counterfoil shall all have the same serial number printed on them. But to keepers of Separate Shops, printed permit books in the same form shall be supplied at their own cost. When each shop-keeper sends for his supply of arrack his permit book shall be presented to the Government Contractor's Agent in charge of any Bonded Depôt, who issues the arrack. The Contractor's Agent shall make necessary entries in the book under his seal and signature, and send it with the consignment. Such permit books shall also be kept by the shop-keepers under the Vend farmers to transport their supplies from the Bonded Depôts or Farmers' Depôts, as the case may be, the necessary entries in the books being made by the Contractor's Agents in charge of the Bonded Depôts or by the licensees in charge of the Farm Depôts. At the close of each day's issues, the Government Contractor's Agent shall prepare an extract from his register of daily issues to the farmers and Separate shop-keepers in the appended Form N, and forward it on the morning of the day following to the Amildar of the taluk in which the farms or separate shops are situated.

2. The consignments and the rahadaris shall first be taken to the Amildar or the Sheristadar during the Amildar's absence, if the Farmer's Depôt is situated at Taluk Head-quarters, or to such other official as the Amildar may depute for this purpose, if the depôt is in any outlying town in his taluk.

3. The contents of the rahadari shall be compared with the duplicate received by the Amildar, as well as with the details painted on the casks, and the seals, &c., on the casks examined. Discrepancies and other irregularities discovered shall be reported to the Deputy Commissioner and to the officer in charge of the Distillery for necessary action.

4. The date and hour of receipt shall then be recorded on the back of the rahadari under the signature and designation of the official appointed by the Amildar for this purpose, and the consignment then passed on to the depôt to be there booked.

5. The rahadari shall at once be sent back by the depôt licensee to the Government official appointed by the Amildar, who shall see that the licensee has noted underneath the Taluk official's endorsement "Contents received and booked" with the date and hour of receipt at the depôt, and "the balance of stock of arrack on hand when this consignment arrived," and if it has been verified by the Government officer who passed the consignment.

6. All the rahadaris dated and issued in any one month and the extracts referred to in the above Rule 1 shall, on the 10th of the following month, (by which time all previous month's consignments shall have been duly received and disposed of) be brought with a "Patti" giving name of depôt, number, date and contents of rahadaris (gallons, drams), and extracts to the Amildar who will, after satisfying himself that the instructions given above have been fully complied with, score the rahadaris and extracts across thus ✗ in red ink from end to end, write the word "cancelled" across the face of each rahadari and extract under his seal and signature and send the "Patti" and the cancelled rahadaris and the extracts on to the Deputy Commissioner of the District. Rahadaris dated and issued in one month, the consignments under which do not arrive before the 10th of the following month, shall be dealt with as above, and a supplemental "Patti" sent with them.

7. Amildars shall keep a register in the appended Form O, in which the duplicate rahadaris and extracts sent to them under Rule 1 shall be entered. The particulars should be entered in this register in abstract as soon as they are received. The duplicate rahadaris should be crossed thus ✗ at the time the original is cancelled under Rule 6, and the corresponding entry in the register ticked off. If any consignment which has been advised in a duplicate rahadari is not received within a reasonable time, after the period allowed in the rahadari, the Amildar shall at once report the same to the Deputy Commissioner of the District who will institute the necessary enquiries. For this purpose, the register of rahadaris should be scrutinized by the Amildar or Taluk Sheristadar every week or fortnight.

8. On receipt of the cancelled rahadaris and extracts at the District office, they shall be compared and verified with the figures in the monthly Abkari Revenue Statement Nos. 6 and 6A, the monthly accounts received from the Distillery and Bonded Depôts, and with Treasury B Accounts, and then filed till six months after each lease has been closed, when they may be destroyed under the supervision of some responsible officer. The Statements Nos. 6 and 6A compiled for the whole District shall then be forwarded to the Excise Commissioner's Office, where they shall be compared and verified with the Treasury challans or receipts (Forms E, F, G). The Excise Commissioner shall thereupon prepare Statements Nos. 6 and 6A for the whole Province and send them to the Dewan's Office after obtaining the Comptroller's certificate of credits; and he shall furnish the Comptroller with a monthly Abstract Statement of issues of arrack and other country spirits and special liquors from the Distillery, showing the amounts of the cheques issued in favor of the Manufacturer.

9. When consignments are received without a rahadari, they shall be attached, and the matter at once brought to the notice of the Amildar. If he is satisfied that no fraud exists, he may release the consignments on the security of the depôt licensee, intimating particulars to the Deputy Commissioner, who will, after the necessary enquiry, direct the issue of a special rahadari to cover the consignments. This special rahadari shall be in the same form and issued in the same manner as the ordinary rahadaris, but on paper of a different color in the appended Form P.

10. If the contents in gallons or the number as given in the original rahadari and its duplicate differ from those noted on the cask, the consignment will be sent on to the depôt with the precautions which are required to be taken under Rule 9, to be there examined either by the Amildar himself or by any other officer appointed by him, and a report of such examination should be forwarded by the Amildar to the Deputy Commissioner. If the place given on the cask differs from that entered in the rahadari, the cask must not be sent to the depôt but kept with the Amildar and the matter reported to the Central Distillery. The Farm depôt licensee shall at once apply for fresh stock by telegraph, if possible.

11. When any consignment is sent by railway, the original rahadari together with the railway receipt shall be forwarded to the Amildar of the taluk in which the place of destination is situated. On the arrival of the consignment, the Amildar or other official deputed by him shall receive the consignment and deal with it under the provisions of the foregoing rules.

12. Any cartman or other person entrusted with the consignment, omitting or neglecting to exercise due care and attention in regard to the consignment, or failing to deliver it within the limited time without sufficient excuse, shall be punishable departmentally by the Deputy Commissioner with a fine not exceeding rupees 50.

PART III.

Miscellaneous.

XXVI. The following accounts and statistics, and such other periodical returns, reports, &c., as may be ordered by the Excise Commissioner, shall be furnished by the Excise Officers in charge of the Distillery and by the Government Arrack Carrying Contractor or his Agents in charge of Bonded Depôts, in the forms prescribed by the Excise Commissioner :—

From the Distillery—To the Excise Commissioner's Office—

1. Monthly statement of issues of arrack and other spirits to each Bonded Depôt, showing the number and amount of each cheque issued in favour of the Manufacturer.

2. Monthly statement of issues of arrack to each Farm Depôt, to "Separate shops," if any, and to public institutions, respectable private individuals, &c., showing the amount of duty realized in the Treasuries and in the Distillery.

3. Monthly Stock Account.

4. Monthly statement of receipts of duty, &c., and remittance to the Treasury.

To the Deputy Commissioners concerned—

Extract from the register of monthly issues of arrack and other spirits to each Bonded Depot, Farm Depot and to "Separate shops," if any, in each district.

From Bonded Depots—To the Excise Commissioner's Office.—

1. Monthly statement of issues of arrack to the Arrack Vend Farmers and "Separate shops," if any, and of other spirits to hospitals &oc., shwing realizations in Treasuries.

2. Ditto ditto to the shops under the Farmers.

3. Monthly stock account.

To the Deputy Commissioners concerned—

Extract from the monthly register of issues of arrack to the Arrack Vend Farmers and "Separate shops," if any, and of other spirits to hospitals, &c., in each district, showing realization in Treasuries.

XXVII. The District Treasury Officers shall furnish to the respective Deputy Commissioners monthly statements of realizations on account of duty, price and rentals under separate headings by dates in the form to be prescribed by the Comptroller.

XXVIII. The duties to be performed and the accounts, diaries and reports to be furnished by the executive officer and other members of the Excise Department shall be such as may, from time to time, be ordered by the Excise Commissioner.

XXIX. Except as otherwise provided, all orders passed and proceedings taken by officers of the Excise Department, under the provisions of these rules, shall be subject to appeal to their immediate superiors within two months from the date of the passing of such orders or proceedings.

XXX. The executive officers and other members of the Department and the Manufacturer of arrack and other country spirits and other contractors, farmers and shop-keepers shall conform to such rules of practice as may, from time to time, be issued by the Excise Commissioner not inconsistent with the provisions of the Excise Regulation and these rules.

XXXI. The following persons are hereby empowered to grant passes for possession or transport of arrack and other country spirits and special liquors:—

All members of the Excise Department not below the rank of Sub-Inspector, Assistant Commissioners, Amildars, Sheristadars, Shekdars and Government Contractors or Farmers, or their agents and shop-keepers.

XXXII. There shall be no objection to the purchasers of "Separate shops" holding any "Vend farms," and *vice versa*.

XXXIII. "Methylated spirits" and all spirits rendered unfit for human consumption under Act XVI of 1863 (Regulation II of 1885) shall be deemed to be "Country spirits" for the purposes of the Excise Regulation.

XXXIV. Spirits manufactured in any part of India, Batavia and Ceylon shall be deemed to be "Country spirits" in the territories of Mysore for the purposes of the Excise Regulation.

XXXV. All Police Officers in charge of stations and all other Police Officers of, or above, the grade of Head Constable, Jamadar, or Dafadar, are invested with the powers of entry and Inspection under Section XXXII of the Excise Regulation.

XXXVI. The following rules in regard to the disposal of liquor, &c., confiscated under the above Regulation shall be observed:—

(1) All liquor and other property such as stills, vats or other apparatus, jars, bottles and other vessels used for the preparation of liquor in any stage, or for storing or conveying liquor, which may be confiscated under the Excise Regulation, shall be sold by auction, and the proceeds credited to Government minus any sum awarded to the informer or others by the Magistrate trying the case.

(2) But if such liquor is adulterated by any noxious ingredient, or be otherwise unfit for human consumption, it shall be destroyed.

(3) Should the quantity of such liquor be more than two imperial gallons the orders of the Excise Commissioner shall be obtained for its disposal.

By Order,
L. ANANTASAMI ROW,
for Secretary.

A 49.] MYSORE EXCISE DEPARTMENT.

APPENDIX A.

LICENSE GRANTED TO ARRACK VEND FARMERS IN THE DISTRICT OF .....

No.....

Under the provisions of the Excise Regulation V of 1901.....
.....
Deputy Commissioner of the .....
District, hereby appoint you,.....
son of .....
residing at .....
to be the renter of the exclusive privilege of selling Arrack in the vend farm of.....
.....
..... in the Taluk of .....
in the District of ..... from the 1st day of July 190 , to the 30th day of June 190 , subject to the following conditions and stipulations to be observed by you, the said.....

CONDITIONS.

1. The exclusive privilege shall extend to the sale of arrack ordinarily of 20° under-proof, and, with the special permission of the Deputy Commissioner or other Officer authorized by him, to the sale of 30° under-proof; but shall not include their manufacture, nor the manufacture or sale of foreign spirits and foreign fermented liquors, or of double-distilled or rectified country spirits and other special liquors of whatever strength, manufactured at the Government Central Distillery, Bangalore, or of country beer, or any beverage other than the authorized arrack.

2. (1) This license is not transferable by sale, gift, mortgage or otherwise, and no persons except such as are named herein shall have power to act under it. The resignation of the license in whole or in part shall be summarily rejected by the Deputy Commissioner.

(2) The marginally noted amount for which the privilege has been purchased, shall be payable by you into the local Government Treasuries on printed challans furnished for the purpose by Government, in equal monthly instalments commencing from 1st July 190 ; each instalment shall be regarded as the rent for the month in respect of which it is payable. Each month's rent shall be payable on or before the 20th of the same month. If default is made, the Amildar may, with the sanction of the Deputy Commissioner, declare by record in writing that the license is forfeited and proceed to resell the farm as soon after the last day of the month as may be possible. Provided however, that instead of reselling the farm as above, the Deputy Commissioner may, in his discretion, direct the Amildar to break up a defaulting farm into the existing number of shops within it, and to give each separate shop-keeper a license for the rent he agrees to pay, provided the total of such rents is not less than what the defaulting farmer had agreed to pay.

(3) The deposit made by you shall be taken in payment of the instalments due in the last two months of the period of the farm. Provided, however, that where the farm is resold or broken up under the provisions of sub-clause (2) above, the deposit shall, at the discretion of the Deputy Commissioner, be either forfeited or be appropriated towards the arrears due by the defaulter, as well as towards the deficits, if any, arising from the resale of the farm. The balance of such arrears and deficits, if any, shall be recoverable from the licensee under the rules in force for the recovery of arrears of land revenue. No remission or abatement of the rent or compensation shall, on any account whatever, be claimable by you. Interest at 6 per cent per annum shall be recoverable on all arrears from the date of default, and on deficits from the date of resale.

3. You shall purchase the arrack for issue to your shop-keepers from the Government Manufacturer or from any Bonded Depot established under the sanction of Government. The rates to be charged by the Manufacturer for arrack supplied by him are as under per Imperial gallon :—

	Rs. a. p.
For arrack of 20° under-proof	
For arrack of lower strengths, proportionately according to Casella's rules.	

4. The above rates are in addition to Excise duty, which shall be prepaid to Government at Rs. $4\frac{3}{4}$ per Imperial gallon of 20° under-proof, before the removal of the arrack from the Distillery or from any Bonded Depot established under the sanction of Government, and proportionately on arrack of lower strengths.

5. Excise duty shall be prepaid by you into the local Government Treasury; but if you obtain arrack from a Bonded Depot, both the duty and price of arrack shall be paid into the local Taluk Treasury.

6. In the Bangalore District you shall maintain at a place or places within your farm, under the approval of the Deputy Commissioner, a Depot or Depots to which all arrack purchased by you shall be conveyed, in the first instance, for verification of the consignment by a Government Officer before issue to the shop-keepers, under the rules in force. Depots shall at all times be open to inspection by the Deputy Commissioner or any subordinate whom he may depute for the purpose, or by any Excise Officer. No such Depot shall be opened without a license from the Deputy Commissioner. But in the Districts where Bonded Depots have been established under the sanction of Government, you need not open your own Depot, but you shall deposit your supplies of arrack in the Bonded Depot to which your farm is attached, for issue to your shops. Provided however that, in the event of your prepaying the duty and price of the *whole* contents of any cash received from the Distillery you will be at liberty to distribute the whole quantity at once to your shops, or to remove it in your own vessels to any Depot which you may open within your farm under the Deputy Commissioner's license, and issue therefrom the requisite supplies to your shops. You will be bound to keep in Depots such stock of arrack as may be ordered by the Excise Commissioner.

7. The Deputy Commissioner or any Officer of the Excise Department not below the rank of Assistant Commissioner may direct the destruction of arrack in your Depots or shops, which he may consider unfit for consumption or use.

8. You shall not mix with the arrack to be issued to your shop-keepers any ingredients noxious to health.

9. (1) The arrack supplied by you to your shop-keepers, or sold from, or kept for supply or sale at, your Depot or Bonded Depot, shall be ordinarily of the strength of 20° under-proof; and arrack shall not be supplied or kept or sold by you or by your shop-keepers at any other strength without special permission. For sales of arrack of lower strength than 20° under-proof, the special orders of the Deputy Commissioner shall be obtained. No water or other beverage or liquor other than arrack, of any quantity whatever, shall be kept in your Depot or in the shops in which arrack is sold, or on the person or in possession of the license-holder or vendor, or any employee in the shops.

(2) With the consignment of arrack from the Distillery or Bonded Depot to Farm Depots as well as with those from Farm Depots or Bonded Depots to shops, sample bottles shall be taken in such manner as may be ordered by the Excise Commissioner. The arrack kept in Farm Depots or issued therefrom to shops, as well as the arrack kept in shops or sold therefrom to the public, shall be of the same quality and strength as issued from the Distillery or Bonded Depot, and shall not be adulterated or diluted in any manner whatever.

10. You shall keep true accounts of the quantity and strength of the arrack purchased by you and issued to shop-keepers. Such accounts shall be produced when required for inspection by the Deputy Commissioner or by any officer appointed by

him or by any Excise Officer; and you shall be bound to furnish, or cause to be furnished such information or returns as may be required by the Deputy Commissioner from time to time regarding the consumption of arrack within your farm, or relating in any way to your management as a renter. The sales of arrack of lower strengths than 20°-under-proof shall be accounted for separately in the prescribed form.

11. Arrack shall not be sold except in shops duly sanctioned and licensed by the Deputy Commissioner; and no additional shops shall be opened without the previous sanction of the Excise Commissioner. You will be at liberty to select your shop-keepers, and will be allowed to establish as many shops as the Deputy Commissioner may consider necessary for the supply of your farm.

12. The Deputy Commissioner may whenever he thinks fit, direct shops to be closed, or permit transfer of shops from one place to another, or direct new shops to be opened with the previous sanction of the Excise Commissioner. You shall be bound to maintain such supply of arrack as the Deputy Commissioner may consider sufficient to meet local requirements in all sanctioned shops.

13. Each shop-keeper shall place the license granted to him in a conspicuous place in his shop.

14. A sign-board shall be fixed in a conspicuous part of the front of each shop, containing in the vernacular of the district, the name of the shop-keeper and the number of his license.

15. The shop-keepers shall prevent all drunkenness or disorder or gaming within their shops.

16. No shop shall be opened before sunrise.

17. Shops shall be closed by 9 o'clock P. M., unless the Deputy Commissioner, for special reasons, shall, generally or specially, authorize the keeping open of particular shops to a late hour.

18. The shop-keepers shall not harbour robbers or thieves or riotous persons, but, on the contrary, shall give intimation to the nearest Magistrate or Police Officer as to any such persons who may resort to their shops.

19. The shop-keepers shall not receive any grain, jewels, goods, wearing apparel or other article in barter or in pawn for arrack; but, on the offer of any such, shall give information to the nearest Magistrate or Police Officer.

20. No shop-keeper shall allow any quantity of arrack exceeding one reputed quart bottle to be removed by any individual from the shop on any pretence whatever without a valid permit, on which arrack up to one imperial quart bottle only may be removed by respectable persons.

21. You shall provide yourself and your shop-keepers with printed forms of permits for transport and possession of arrack. Such permits shall be in the form prescribed in the Excise Department, and shall be purchased from the local Excise Officer. You shall have no other pecuniary dealings with any Excise Officer.

22. At every shop for the sale of arrack, there shall be kept a true and correct account showing the quantity and strength of the arrack received therein, the quantity and strength of the arrack sold, the prices at which it is sold and the quantity and strength of the arrack remaining unsold each day. Such accounts shall be in the prescribed form, and shall be produced for the inspection of the Deputy Commissioner or of any Officer appointed by him for the purpose of inspecting them, or of any Excise Officer, whenever required.

23. Shop-keepers shall be bound to furnish such returns and information as may from time to time be required by the Deputy Commissioner.

24. The shop-keepers shall not keep in their shops, offer for sale, or sell any arrack except the arrack supplied by you; neither shall they keep in their shops, offer for sale, or sell arrack of any other strength than 20° under London proof, or other liquors, without special permission. The arrack kept in the shops, offered for sale, or sold, shall be unadulterated and undiluted. The arrack shall be sold to the public at Rs. 6-6-0 per gallon of 20° under-proof and at proportionate rates for lower strengths.

25. The following stock shall always remain in shops and not be trenched upon :—

	Arrack.	Remarks.
I. At all District Head-quarters	2 Gallons	
II. At all Taluk and Depot Kasabas	1 Gallon	
III. Village shops within five miles from Depot ...	½ ,,	
IV. Village shops more than 5 miles distant from Depot ..	Stock equal to one day's sale for every ten miles from Depot and not less than the stock fixed for shops within five miles of the Depot.	

26. Shop-keepers shall use such measures as may from time to time be prescribed by Government.

27. You shall have such measures tested, stamped and supplied at your own cost.

28. If ordered by the Excise Commissioner, you shall furnish each Depot for the issue of arrack to shop-keepers, with an hydrometer of any pattern prescribed by Government.

29. The shop-keepers shall not sell or give any arrack to any European Non-Commissioned Officer or private soldier, or to any European or Eurasian camp follower, or to any member of the families of any of the aforesaid persons, without the permission in writing of the Commanding Officer, or of some person duly authorised by him in that behalf ; nor to any sailor ; nor to any sepoy, member of the Police Force, or servant of a Railway Company, or an Excise Officer, whilst on duty ; nor to any European vagrant under escort of the Police ; nor to any child under twelve years of age for consumption on the premises ; nor shall they sell any arrack on credit.

30. The Deputy Commissioner may direct that all shops for the sale of arrack on or adjacent to the line of march shall be closed whilst a Regiment or detachment of European or Native soldiers is passing or encamped in the vicinity. Such soldiers may be supplied with arrack by such persons as the Government may select for the purpose, notwithstanding your exclusive privilege. The Government reserve the power to terminate the lease on public grounds, awarding a reasonable compensation to the licensee. The licensee will have no claim to compensation or remission on account of any arrangements which may be made by Government in regard to country Beer or other description of liquor than arrack.

31 Every person employed by you to superintend depôts, or placed in charge of shops shall, before entering upon his employment, execute the engagements prescribed by law. All engagements entered into by persons to be employed by you on the 1st day of 190 , shall be deposited with the Deputy Commissioner within one month from that date or of the date of executing the engagement.

32. If it comes to your knowledge that any person employed by you, in the carriage or sale of Arrack, commits any breach of the Excise Laws or of the engagements entered into by him, it shall be your duty to report the matter to the Deputy Commissioner, and to comply with the directions of the Deputy Commissioner respecting the continued employment of such person.

33. You shall not, during the term of the license, have any interest in the exclusive privilege of vending toddy in any part of the taluk within which your farm is situated, nor permit any person having interest in the exclusive privilege of vending toddy in any part of the taluk, to hold any share or interest in your exclusive privilege of selling arrack. *Nor shall you, during the term of your license, without the written permission of the Excise Commissioner, have any interest, direct or indirect, in any Arrack Farm in any District of the Madras or Bombay Presidency under the British Government, or in any other foreign State or Territory or permit the holder of any such farm to have any such interest in the farm held by you under the license.*

34. You shall be bound to take over any Arrack which may remain as stock-in-hand on the 1st day of July 190 , in the existing depôts or shops in your farm, or any Arrack belonging to the out-going farmers remaining at the Bonded Depôt, paying to

the old farmers such compensation for the same as may be fixed by the Excise Commissioner.

35 Interest shall be payable upon all moneys due by you at the rate of 6 per cent per annum.

36. In the case of any breach of the conditions of the license either by you or, with your connivance or privity, by any person in your employment, or in the event of your neglecting to open your shops or to carry on the business of your farm with due care and attention, it shall be competent to the Deputy Commissioner to impose upon you a fine not exceeding the sum of Rs. 50 for every such breach or for such neglect, or, at the option of the Deputy Commissioner, to declare the money deposited with him forfeited, and to cancel the license and re-sell the exclusive privilege, or to otherwise dispose of it at your risk, or to place the farm under the management of Government, and all loss thereby caused together with all losses accruing to Government in consequence of your neglect to carry on your business by opening your shops on the first day of the period of your farm, shall be made good by you. It shall be lawful for the Deputy Commissioner to deduct the amount of all fines imposed under this clause from any sums deposited by you as security for the due performance of the conditions of the license. When a farm is cancelled, the rent for the whole period of the farm shall become due at once.

37. The imposition of a fine, or the forfeiture of deposit, or the cancellation of the license under the last preceding condition, shall not be held to prevent the prosecution of any person for any offence which may be committed against the provisions of the Excise Laws or Rules.

38. Should you be convicted on prosecution before a Magistrate of any offence against the Excise Regulation or other law for the time being in force and relating to the Excise Revenue, it shall be lawful for the Deputy Commissioner to declare your license forfeited.

39. All sums payable by you may be deducted from the amount of your deposit, or recovered by attachment and sale of your property under any law for the time being in force for the recovery of arrears of land revenue.

40. Any sums deducted by the Deputy Commissioner under the powers herein contained from the sum deposited by you as security for the due performance of the contract, shall be replaced by you within fifteen days from the date of the receipt of a notice from the Deputy Commissioner informing you of such deduction having been made.

41. You shall be bound by any additional rules which may, from time to time be prescribed under the Excise Laws now in force, or which may hereafter be enacted, and shall, on requisition by the Deputy Commissioner, or other Officer duly authorized by the Deputy Commissioner, deliver up your license for amendment or for the issue of a fresh license accordingly.

Dated the.....day of.....190

Deputy Commissioner.

COUNTERPART AGREEMENT TO BE EXECUTED BY ARRACK VEND FARMERS

Having been appointed by the Deputy Commissioner of the District of ..... the renter of the exclusive privilege of selling arrack in the vend farm of..... .....in the Taluk of ..... from the 1st of July 190 , to the 30th day of June 190 , I, ...son of..... .....residing at..... .....do for myself, my heirs, my legal representatives and assigns, hereby agree with the said Deputy Commissioner that I will well and truly observe and perform the conditions and stipulations contained in the License No..... dated the..... day of..... 190 , issued to me by the said Deputy

Commissioner, and bind myself and any movable and immovable property specified in the margin hereof for the due fulfilment of the terms of my contract.

Dated the.....day of.....190 .

Witnesses—

1. Signature.
2.

A50] MYSORE EXCISE DEPARTMENT.

APPENDIX B.

LICENSE GRANTED TO PERSONS PLACED IN CHARGE OF DEPOTS UNDER ARRACK VEND FARMERS IN THE DISTRICT OF.....

No.....

I, ...Deputy Commissioner of the.....District, under the provisions of the Excise Regulation V of 1901, hereby license you,..... ..... appointed to the charge of depôt of issue at .... by the renter of the exclusive privilege of vending Arrack in the vend farm of ....in the Taluk of.....in the District of..... .....from the.....day of.. .....190 , to the..... day of ....190 , subject to the following conditions and stipulations to be observed by you, the said..... ....

CONDITIONS.

1. You shall place this license in a conspicuous place in your depôt. The employment of persons suffering from leprosy of any contagious disease in the depôt is prohibited.

2. You shall not mix, or knowingly permit any other person to mix, in the Arrack under your charge, any ingredient pernicious to health, or other noxious material intended or supposed to increase the power of the spirit or to add to its intoxicating quality.

3. You shall issue Arrack only to licensed shop-keepers. Sample bottles shall be issued with all consignments to shops in such manner as may be ordered by the Excise Commissioner.

4. You shall issue permits in the prescribed form for the transit of Arrack from your depôt to shops situated within the said Arrack vend farm and licensed for the sale of Arrack. You shall not issue consignments of Arrack which have to be transported through British territory without duly sealing them with the Government seal supplied for the purpose.

5. You shall not open your depot before sunrise.

6. You shall not keep your depot open after 8 P. M.; nor shall you allow any one to remain in your depot during night after that hour. The depot shall be kept open during the authorized hours, unless its temporary or permanent closure is authorized by the Deputy Commissioner.

7. You shall not receive any grain, jewels, goods, wearing apparel or other article in barter or in pawn for Arrack; but, on the offer of any such, shall give information to the nearest Magistrate or Police officer. You shall have no pecuniary dealings with any Excise Officer.

8. You shall not allow any quantity of Arrack to be removed by any individual from your depot on any pretence whatever, without a valid permit.

9. You shall keep a true and correct account showing the quantity and stength of the Arrack received in your depot, the quantity and strength of the Arrack sold, and the quantity and strength of the Arrack remaining unsold each day. Such accounts shall be in such form as may be prescribed by the Excise Commissioner and shall be produced for the inspection of the Deputy Commissioner or of any

Officer appointed by him for the purpose of inspecting them, or of any Excise Officer, whenever required. The sales of Arrack of lower strength than 20° under-proof shall be accounted for separately in the prescribed form.

10. You shall be bound to furnish such returns and information as may, from time to time, be required by the Excise Commissioner.

11. You shall not keep in your depot, offer for sale or sell any Arrack, except the Arrack supplied by the renter: neither shall you keep in your depot, offer for sale or sell Arrack of any other strength than 20° under-proof without special permission. The Arrack kept in your depot, offered for sale and sold, shall be unadulterated and undiluted.

12. You shall not keep for sale or sell Arrack at any other place than that specified in this license.

13. You shall use such measures as may, from time to time, be prescribed by Government, and always keep them clean.

14. Such measures shall be tested and stamped by the Excise Department

15. You shall keep, if required to do so by the Excise Commissioner, an hydrometer of the prescribed description.

This license may be recalled by me at any time; otherwise it will remain in force during the currency of the said Arrack vend farmer's license.

Dated the.....day of..... 190

Schedule showing the boundaries of the depot.

Street and Door No. or other particulars	Bonded on the—				Remarks:
	North by	East by	South by	West by	

Deputy Commissioner.

COUNTERPART AGREEMENT TO BE EXECUTED BY PERSONS PLACED IN CHARGE OF DEPOTS UNDER ARRACK VEND FARMERS

IN THE DISTRICT OF.....

No.....

I, ...son of.....residing at.....appointed to the charge of a depôt at....., by....., the renter of the exclusive privilege of vending Arrack in the vend farm of....., in the Taluk of....., in the District of..... from the.....day of..... 190 , to the..... day of .....190 , having been licensed by the Deputy Commissioner of the District of..... to vend Arrack, in the said depôt from the.....day of..... 190 , to the.....day of.....190 , do for myself, my heirs, my legal representatives and assigns, hereby agree with the said Deputy Commissioner that I will well and truly observe and perform the conditions and stipulations contained in the license No..... dated the..... day of.....190 , issued to me by the said Deputy Commissioner.

Dated the.....day.....190

Witnesses—

1.

2.

Signature.

MYSORE EXCISE DEPARTMENT.

A 51] APPENDIX C.

LICENSE GRANTED TO ARRACK SHOP-KEEPERS APPOINTED BY ARRACK VEND FARMERS IN THE DISTRICT OF.....

Register No .
Name of License-holder..... .....
Name of Vendors or Shopmen ....
Locality .....

I, ..., Deputy Commissioner of the .. . .District, under the provisions of the Excise Regulation V of 1901, hereby license you, ... appointed to the charge of a shop at . ... by the renter of the exclusive privilege of selling Arrack in the vend farm of .... in the Taluk of .... . in the District of .. ..from the 1st day of..... 190 , to the day of .... 190 , subject to the following conditions and stipulations to be observed by you, the said. ....

CONDITIONS.

1. You shall place this license in a conspicuous place in your shop.

2. You shall fix in a conspicuous part of the front of your shop a signboard containing your name, the Arrack you are licensed to sell, and the number of your license. The sale or transport of Arrack by persons suffering from leprosy or any contagious disease, and the employment of such persons in the shop are prohibited.

3. You shall prevent all drunkenness or disorder or gaming in your shop.

4. You shall not open your shop before sunrise.

5. You shall not keep your shop open after 9 P. M., unless the Deputy Commissioner, for special reasons, shall generally or specially authorize your doing so, nor shall you allow any one to remain in your shop during night.

6. You shall not harbour robbers or thieves or riotous persons in your shop, but on the contrary shall give intimation to the nearest Magistrate or Police officer as to any such persons who may resort to your shop.

7. You shall not receive any grain, jewels, goods, wearing apparel or other article in barter or in pawn for Arrack; but on the offer of any such, shall give information to the nearest Magistrate or Police officer. You shall have no pecuniary dealings with any Excise officer.

8. You shall not allow any quantity of Arrack exceeding one reputed quart bottle to be removed by any individual from your shop on any pretence whatever, except on special passes by respectable individuals, up to one imperial quart bottle. You shall not permit more than two drams to be drunk by the same person at the same time on your premises.

9. You shall keep a true and correct account showing the quantity and strength of the Arrack received in your shop, the quantity and strength of the Arrack sold and the quantity and strength of the Arrack remaining unsold each day. Such accounts shall be in such form as may be prescribed by the Excise Commissioner, and shall be produced for the inspection of the Deputy Commissioner or of any officer appointed by him for the purpose of inspecting them, or of an Excise officer, whenever required. The sales of Arrack of lower strengths than 20° under proof shall be accounted for separately in the prescribed form.

10. You shall be bound to furnish such returns and information as may, from time to time, be required by the Deputy Commissioner.

11. You shall not keep in your shop, offer for sale or sell any Arrack except the Arrack supplied from a Depot or by the renter; neither shall you keep in your shop, offer for sale or sell Arrack of any other strength than 20° under proof without special permission. The Arrack kept in your shop, offered for sale and sold shall be unadulterated and undiluted; and it shall be of the same quality and strength as issued from the Depot. You shall sell Arrack to the public at Rs, 6—6—0 per gallon of 20° under proof, and at proportionate rates for lower strengths. For sales of Arrack of lower strength than 20° under-proof, the special orders of the Deputy

Commissioner shall be obtained. You shall not open consignments of Arrack received at your shop and which have been transported through British Territory, unless and until they are verified by Government officials nominated for the purpose. With all consignments from the Depot to the shop, sample bottles shall be taken in such manner as may be ordered by the Excise Commissioner.

12. You shall not keep for sale or sell Arrack at any other place than that specified in this license, without special permission.

13. You shall not sell in your shop any foreign spirits or fermented liquors, or any toddy or country beer or double distilled or rectified country spirits and other special liquors of whatever strength, manufactured at the Government Central Distillery, Bangalore. No water or other beverage or liquor other than Arrack of any quantity whatever shall be kept in the shop in which Arrack is sold, or on the person or in possession of the license-holder or vendor or any of his employees in the shop.

14. You shall use such measures as may, from time to time, be prescribed by Government and always keep them clean.

15. Such measures shall be tested, stamped and supplied at the cost of the licensee.

16. You shall not sell or give any Arrack to any European, Non-Commissioned officer or private soldier, or to any European or Eurasian camp follower, or to any member of the families of any of the aforesaid persons without the permission in writing of the Commanding Officer or of some person duly authorized by him in that behalf, nor to any European sailor, nor to any sepoy, member of the Police force, or servant of a Railway Company, or an Excise Officer whilst on duty, nor to any European vagrant under escort of Police, nor to any child under twelve years of age for consumption on the premises; nor shall you sell any Arrack on credit.

17. You shall close your shop if situated on, or adjacent to, the line of march whilst a regiment or detachment of European or Native soldiers is passing or encamped in the vicinity, should the Deputy Commissioner so direct.

18. The following stock shall always remain on hand and not be trenched upon—

		Arrack	Remarks
I.	At all District Head quarters	2 Gallons.	
II.	At all Taluk and Depot Kasabas	1 Gallon.	
III.	Village shops within 5 miles from Depot	½ Gallon.	
IV.	Village shops more than 5 miles distant from Depot ...	Stock equal to one day's sale for every 10 miles from Depot and not less than the stock fixed for shops within 5 miles of the Depot.	

The shop shall be kept open during the authorized hours unless its temporary or permanent closure is authorized by the Deputy Commissioner.

19. In the event of the renter's farm being taken under the management of Government, you shall be bound to continue to sell Arrack on behalf of Government as long as you may be required to do so.

Dated day of 190

Schedule showing the boundaries of the shop.

Street and door No. or other particulars.	Bounded on the			
	North by	East by	South by	West by

Deputy Commissioner.

COUNTERPART AGREEMENT TO BE EXECUTED BY ARRACK SHOP KEEPERS APPOINTED BY ARRACK VEND FARMERS IN THE DISTRICT OF

No.

I..... son of ..... residing at ..... by the renter of appointed to the charge of a shop at ..... the exclusive privilege of selling Arrack in the vend farm of ..... in the District of ..... in the Taluk of ..... from the first day of..... 190 . to the day of ..... 190 . having been licensed by the Deputy Commissioner of the District of ..... to vend Arrack in the said shop from the first day of... ..... 190 , to the... ..190 , do for myself, my heirs, my legal representatives and assigns hereby agree with the said Deputy Commissioner that I will well and truly observe and perform the conditions and stipulations contained in the license No. dated the ..... day of ....190 , issued to me by the said Deputy Commissioner.

Dated the ..... day of..... 190

Witnesses—

1

Signature.

MYSORE EXCISE DEPARTMENT.

A 52.]

APPENDIX D.

LICENSE FOR RETAIL SALE OF ARRACK.

Retail Arrack License to Separate Shop-keepers.

Register No.....
Name of License-holder.....
Names of Vendors and Shopmen.....
Locality.....

I.... ..... District, do hereby grant a license for the Deputy Commissioner,..... Retail Vend of Arrack manufactured in the Mysore State, to..... .....at..... in the..... .....on the following conditions :—

I. The amount for which the privilege has been purchased shall be payable into the local Government Treasury in equal monthly instalments commencing from July 190 ; each instalment shall be regarded as the rent for the month in respect of which it is payable. Each month's rent shall be payable on or before the 20th of the same month. If default is made, the Amildar may, with the sanction of the Deputy Commissioner, declare by record in writing that the lease is forfeited, and proceed to re-sell the shop as soon after the last day of the month as may be possible. The deposit made by the licensee shall be taken in payment of the instalments due in the last two months of the period of the lease. Provided, however, that when the shop is re-sold the deposit shall, at the discretion of the Deputy Commissioner, be either forfeited or be appropriated towards the arrears due by the defaulter, as well as towards the deficits, if any, arising from the re-sale of the shop. The balance of such arrears and deficits, if any, shall be recoverable from the licensee under the rules in force for the recovery of arrears of land revenue. No remission or abatement of the rent or compensation shall, on any account whatever, be claimable by the licensee. Interest at 6 per cent per annum shall be recoverable on all arrears from the date of default, and on deficits from the date of re-sale.

II. The privilege conferred by the license extends only to the sale of arrack of the strength of 20° under-proof. But it shall not extend to the sale of double

distilled or rectified country spirits and other special liquors of whatever strength manufactured at the Government Central Distillery, Bangalore, and which the Foreign liquor shop-keepers alone are permitted to sell.

III. This license is not transferable by sale, gift, mortgage or otherwise without the previous sanction of the Excise Commissioner, and no persons except such as are named herein shall have power to act under it. The resignation of the license will be summarily rejected by the Deputy Commissioner.

IV. The vendor or vendors shall, equally with the license-holder, be responsible in the penalties herein set forth for breach of any of the conditions of the license. The sale or transport of arrack by persons suffering from leprosy or any contagious disease, and the employment of such persons in the shop are prohibited.

V. The license-holder shall purchase arrack from the Manufacturer who is authorized to manufacture arrack and other country spirits, or from a Bonded Depôt established under the sanction of Government. The rates to be charged by Manufacturer for arrck supplied by him, are as under, per Imperial gallon :—

	Rs. a. p.
For arrack 20° under-proof	...
For arrack of lower strength	Proportionately according to Casella's rules

VI. * The license-holder shall pay a registration fee under Section 58 of the Municipal Regulations at the rate of Rs. (180) one hundred and eighty per annum or for any portion of the year in advance for the time this license is granted, and he shall pay a Surcharge of (4) four annas per gallon on all arrack sold by him in excess of 55 gallons a month.

VII. The above rates are in addition to Excise duty at Rs. 4¼ per gallon of 20° under-proof, which shall be prepaid to Government before the removal of the arrack from a Bonded Depôt established by Government. The licensee shall pay the above duty and price to a special Shroff appointed on this behalf at the cost of Government, and located at the Taluk Cutcherry, or the Depôt to receive such duty and price *daily* including Sundays and holidays; and shall obtain a receipt in the prescribed printed form. On production of such receipt and an indent for the supply of the arrack covered by the receipt, the Bonded Depôt-keeper shall issue the quantity of arrack equal to the amount of duty shown in the said receipt which will be forwarded to the Excise Commissioner's Office under the endorsement of the Bonded Depot-keeper aforesaid, as to the date and hour when the arrack was issued. The Depôt-keeper aforesaid shall issue a pass in the prescribed form for the transport of arrack from the Bonded Depôt.

VIII. Sales of arrack under this license shall be made only in the shop for which this license is granted at the fixed rate of Rs. 6 and As. 6 per gallon of 20° under-proof, and at proportionate rates for lower strengths except at the shops in the Kolar Gold Fields where it shall be sold at not less than the minimum rate of Rs. 6-6-0 per gallon of 20° under-proof. The measures to be used shall be only those as may from time to time be prescribed by Government; and they shall always be kept clean. For sales of arrack of lower strength than 20° under-proof the special orders of the Deputy Commissioner shall be obtained. No arrack shall be kept at any other place than that specified in this license, without special permission

IX. They (license-holder or vendor or vendors) shall not sell nor give any arrack exceeding one reputed quart to any individual to convey out of their shops or premises, except that they may do so up to one imperial quart bottle only to respectable persons on special passes issued by the Excise Department.

X. They (license-holder or vendor or vendors) shall not sell nor give any arrack in any quantity whatever, either directly or indirectly, to any European Non-Commissioned or Warrant Officer, or private soldier, or to any European or East Indian woman connected with or related to men of these classes; nor to any European sailor, sepoy, member of the Police or Excise Staff or servant of a Railway Company, whilst on duty; nor to any European vagrant under escort of Police; and they shall not permit drunkenness or disorderly behaviour in their shops or premises, nor suffer any gambling whatsoever therein, and shall not knowingly permit prostitutes or persons of notoriously bad character to meet or

remain therein, or wilfully harbour or conceal therein, soldiers or others, knowing or having reason to believe that such soldiers or others to be deserters; nor shall they permit more than two drams to be drunk by the same person at the same time on their premises.

XI. They (license-holder or vendor or vendors) shall not receive any articles whatsoever in barter or pledge. Payment for arrack shall be received by them in ready money only, and they shall not knowingly sell or give any arrack to any person under 12 years of age. They shall have no pecuniary dealings with any Excise Officer.

XII. (a) The license-holder or vendor shall not keep in his shop, offer for sale or sell any arrack, except the arrack supplied by Government, neither shall he keep in his shop, offer for sale or sell arrack of any other strength than 20° under-proof without special permission. The arrack kept in his shop, offered for sale and sold shall be unadulterated and undiluted; and it shall be of the same quality and strength as issued from the Bonded Depot. With all consignments from the Depot to the shop, sample bottles shall be taken in such manner as may be ordered by the Excise Commissioner. No consignments of arrack received at the shop, and which have been transported through British Territory, shall be opened before they have been verified by authorized officers.

(b) No water or other beverage, or liquor other than arrack of any quantity whatever shall be kept or sold in the shop in which arrack is sold, or on the person or in possession of the license-holder or vendor or any of his employees in the shop.

XIII. Bad characters shall not be allowed to resort to the shop, and gaming disorderly conduct, etc., therein shall be prevented, and information of suspicious, characters shall be given to the Magistrate or Police Officer.

XIV. The license-holder shall fix in a conspicuous place outside of his shop a board on which shall be legibly printed his name and the number of his shop and the articles he is licensed to deal in.

XV. The license and shop accounts which shall be true and correct, shall be produced for inspection to the Deputy Commissioner or any Magistrate having local jurisdiction or any Officer acting under the warrant of a Magistrate or any Excise Officer authorized to require such production; and entry to the shop shall be allowed to any Police Officer of and above the rank of Chief or Head Constable or to any Excise Officer at any hour. The sales of arrack of lower strength than 20° under-proof shall be accounted for separately in the prescribed forms.

XVI. *The amount of fees payable from the shops under condition VI above, shall, in the Towns of Bangalore and Mysore, be paid to the Officers appointed by the President, Municipal Commission, to receive the same.

XVII. The following stock shall always remain on hand and not be trenched upon:—

	Arrack	Remarks
In each separate shop.	2 Gallons.	

The shop shall be kept open during the authorized hours unless its temporary or premanent closure is authorized by the Deputy Commissioner.

XVIII. The shop shall be closed by 9 P. M., and not be opened before 6 A. M., except on special permit in cases of festivals, etc. The Deputy Commissioner may direct that all shops for the sale of arrack on or adjacent to the line of march shall be closed whilst a detachment of European or Native soldiers is passing or encamped in the vicinity. The Government reserves the power to terminate the lease on public grounds awarding a reasonable compensation to the licensee. The licensee will have no claim to compensation or remission on account of any arrangements which may be made by Government in regard to Country Beer or other description of liquor than arrack.

XIX. The shop shall have only one door, and no windows or other openings shall be allowed to the rear or at the ends of the building. The bar at which the

arrack is sold shall be opposite the entrance door, and so situated that all persons inside can be seen by any one passing to and fro in the street, and no second room shall be used for the sale of arrack, or be kept open for customers.

XX. A breach of any one of the above conditions and restrictions will subject the holder of the license and shop-vendor, on conviction before a Magistrate, to fine under Excise Regulation or to forfeiture of the license or both. The license-holder shall further conform himself to all such Rules, as may, from time to time, be framed and published under the provisions of the Excise Regulation, V of 1901, or other Regulation for the time being in force, and any breach of such Rules shall subject him to the penalties provided by the said Regulation.

XXI. This license shall continue in force till the..... 190 , and no longer.

Dated

Schedule showing the boundaries of the shop.

Street and Door No. or other particulars	Bounded on the—				Remarks
	North by	East by	South by	West by	

Received from .....the sum of Rupees (180) one hundred and eighty only on account of Registration fee for opening the shop in accordance with the above license from .....to..... .....190 .

President, Municipal Commission,
Town of

Registered as No..... ...in the Police office.

Dated

Dt. Supt. of Police,

Deputy Commissioner,
District.

Impress Stamp

COUNTERPART AGREEMENT.

We the undersigned, the above named license-holder and vendor, for ourselves and our heirs, legal representatives and assigns, hereby agree to all the terms and conditions written, printed and expressed in the above license. I the undersigned license-holder bind myself and my property specified in the margin hereof for the due fulfilment of the terms of my contract.

Signed, sealed and delivered in our presence, at the..... Amildar's Cutcherry, this.....day of.....190

Witnesses—
1
2

License-holder and Vendor.

MYSORE EXCISE DEPT.

A 53] ಆರ್ಡಿಕ್ಸ್ (E) "ಇ"

ಲೈಸೆನ್ಸುದಾರನಲ್ಲಿ ಇಟ್ಟುಕೊಳ್ಳಲ್ಪಡತಕ್ಕ ಪ್ರತಿ.

ನಂಬರು.

.....ಮೂಹೆ.....ನೇ ತಾರೀಖು 190 ನೇ ಇಸವಿ

ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಟ್ರೈಜರೀ ಆಫಿಸರವರಿಗೆ

ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಮಜಕೂರು.....ನೇ ನಂಬರು ಪರಾಬ್ ಲೈಸೆನ್ಸ್

ದಾರನಾದ..... ನಿಂದ ಸದರಿ

ಲೈಸೆನ್ಸ ಬಾಬತು.....ಮೂಹೆಯ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆ

ಖಿಸ್ತಿಗೋಸ್ಕರ ಅಕ್ಷರದಲ್ಲೂ

ರೂಪಾಯಿಗಳು ಆ. ಪೈ.

ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಖಜಾನೆಗೆ ರವಾನಿಸಲ್ಪಟ್ಟಿರುತ್ತೆ.

ಲೈಸೆನ್ಸುದಾರನ ಹೆಸರು

ಗುತ್ತಾ ಫಿರ್ಕಾದ ಹೆಸರು

ಖಿಸ್ತು ಬಾಬತು

ಬಡ್ಡೀ

ನೋಟಿಸ್ ಫೀ

ಜುಮ್ಲಾ

ಲೈಸೆನ್ಸುದಾರನ ರುಜು

ಮೇಲಿನ ಹಣ 190 ನೇ ಮೂಹೆ ನೇ ತಾರೀಖಿನಲ್ಲಿ ದಾಖ

ಲಾಗಿ ಖಜಾನೆ ಲೆಕ್ಕಕ್ಕೆ ಜಮಾ ಹಿಡಿದಿರುತ್ತೆ.

ಟ್ರೈಜರೀ ಆಫಿಸರವರ ರುಜು ಮೊಹರು.

ಪರಾಫನ ರುಜು

ನಗದಿ ಗುಮಾಸ್ತೇ ರುಜು

MYSORE EXCISE DEPT.

A 53] ಆರ್ಡಿಕ್ಸ್ (E) "ಇ"

(ಡಿಸ್ಟ್ರಿಕ್ಟು ಖಜಾನೆಗೆ "ಸಿ" ಲೆಕ್ಕ ದೊಡನೆ ರವಾನಿಸತಕ್ಕ-ಪ್ರತಿ.)

ನಂಬರು.

.....ಮೂಹೆ.....ನೇ ತಾರೀಖು 190 ನೇ ಇಸವಿ

ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಟ್ರೈಜರೀ ಆಫಿಸರವರಿಗೆ

ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಮಜಕೂರು..... ನೇ ನಂಬರು ಪರಾಬ್ ಲೈಸೆನ್ಸ್

ದಾರನಾದ.....ನಿಂದ ಸದರಿ

ಲೈಸೆನ್ಸ್ ಬಾಬತು .....ಮೂಹೆಯ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆ

ಖಿಸ್ತಿಗೋಸ್ಕರ ಅಕ್ಷರದಲ್ಲೂ

ರೂಪಾಯಿಗಳು ಆಣೆ. ಪೈ.

ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಖಜಾನೆಗೆ ರವಾನಿಸಲ್ಪಟ್ಟಿರುತ್ತೆ.

ಲೈಸೆನ್ಸುದಾರನ ಹೆಸರು

ಗುತ್ತಾ ಫಿರ್ಕಾದ ಹೆಸರು

ಖಿಸ್ತು ಬಾಬತು

ಬಡ್ಡೀ

ನೋಟಿಸ್ ಫೀ

ಜುಮ್ಲಾ

ಲೈಸೆನ್ಸುದಾರನ ರುಜು

ಮೇಲಿನ ಹಣ 190 ನೇ ಮೂಹೆ ನೇ ತಾರೀಖಿನಲ್ಲಿ ದಾಖ

ಲಾಗಿ ಖಜಾನೆ ಲೆಕ್ಕಕ್ಕೆ ಜಮಾ ಹಿಡಿದಿರುತ್ತೆ.

ಟ್ರೈಜರೀ ಆಫಿಸರವರ ರುಜು ಮೊಹರು.

ಪರಾಫನ ರುಜು

ನಗದೀ ಗುಮಾಸ್ತೇ ರುಜು

MYSORE EXCISE DEPT.

A 53] ಆರ್ಡಿಕ್ಸ್ (E) "ಇ"

(ಎಕ್ಸೈಜ್ ಕಮಿಷನರವರ ಹುಜೂರಿಗೆ ರವಾನೆಯಾಗತಕ್ಕ ಪ್ರತಿ)

ನಂಬರು.

.....ಮೂಹೆ..... ನೇ ತಾರೀಖು 190 ನೇ ಇಸವಿ

ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಟ್ರೈಜರೀ ಆಫಿಸರವರಿಗೆ

ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಮಜಕೂರು..... ನೇ ನಂಬರು ಪರಾಬ್ ಲೈಸೆನ್ಸ

ದಾರನಾದ ..... ನಿಂದ ಸದರಿ

ಲೈಸೆನ್ಸ ಬಾಬತು.....ಮೂಹೆಯ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆ

ಖಿಸ್ತಿಗೋಸ್ಕರ ಅಕ್ಷರದಲ್ಲೂ

ರೂಪಾಯಿಗಳು ಆ. ಪೈ.

ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಖಜಾನೆಗೆ ರವಾನಿಸಲ್ಪಟ್ಟಿರುತ್ತೆ.

ಲೈಸೆನ್ಸುದಾರನ ಹೆಸರು

ಗುತ್ತಾ ಫಿರ್ಕಾದ ಹೆಸರು

ಖಿಸ್ತು ಬಾಬತು

ಬಡ್ಡೀ

ನೋಟಿಸ್ ಫೀ

ಜುಮ್ಲಾ

ಲೈಸೆನ್ಸುದಾರನ ರುಜು

ಮೇಲಿನ ಹಣ 190 ನೇ ಮೂಹೆ ನೇ ತಾರೀಖಿನಲ್ಲಿ ದಾಖ

ಲಾಗಿ ಖಜಾನೆ ಲೆಕ್ಕಕ್ಕೆ ಜಮಾ ಹಿಡಿದಿರುತ್ತೆ.

ಟ್ರೈಜರೀ ಆಫಿಸರವರ ರುಜು ಮೊಹರು.

ಪರಾಫನ ರುಜು

ನಗದಿ ಗುಮಾಸ್ತೇ ರುಜು

MYSORE EXCISE DEPT.

A 54] (ಅರ್ಕಿಡಿಕ್ಸ್ F.) ಪರಿಶಿಷ್ಟ ಎಫ್. ನಂ.

(ಲೈಸೆನ್ಸದಾರನಲ್ಲಿಟ್ಟುಕೊಳ್ಳಲ್ಪಡತಕ್ಕ ಪ್ರತಿ.)

ಮಾಹೆ ನೇ ತಾರೀಖು 190 ನೇ ಇಸವಿ

ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಟೈಜರಿ ಆಫಿಸರವರಿಗೆ.

ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ನೇ ನಂಬರ್

ಷರಾಬ್ ದಾರನಾದ

ನಿಂದ ಈ ಕೆಳಗೆ ನಮೂದಿಸುವ ಪರಾಬಿಗೋಸ್ಕರ

ಅಕ್ಷರದಲ್ಲೂ ರೂಪಾಯಿ. ಆಣೆ ಪೈ

ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಖಜಾನೆಗೆ ರವಾನಿಸಲ್ಪಟ್ಟಿರುತ್ತೆ.

ಪರಾಬಿನ ವಿವರ	ಪರಿಮಾಣ ಗ್ಯಾಲ್	ಪರಿಮಾಣ ಡ್ರಾಂ	ಶೀಷೆ	ಡ್ಯೂಟಿ ಮೊಬಲಗು	ಡ್ಯೂಟಿ ದರ
20°ಡಿಗ್ರಿ ಅಂಡರ್‌ಪ್ರೂಫ್ ಷರಾಬ್					
ಜುವ್ವಾ ...					

ರುಜು.

ಮಾಹೆ ನೇ ತಾರೀಖಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ಮೊಬಲಗು ದಾಖಲಾಗಿ

ಖಜಾನೆ ಲೆಕ್ಕಕ್ಕೆ ಜಮೆ ಹಿಡಿದಿರುತ್ತೆ.

ಟೈಜರಿ ಆಫಿಸರವರ ಮೊಹರು ವ ರುಜು.

ಷರಾಫನ ರುಜು. ನಗದೀ ಗುಮಾಸ್ತೆ ರುಜು.

MYSORE EXCISE DEPT.

A 55] ಅರ್ಕಿಡಿಕ್ಸ್ G. ಪರಿಶಿಷ್ಟ ಜಿ. ನಂ.

(ಲೈಸೆನ್ಸದಾರನಲ್ಲಿಟ್ಟುಕೊಳ್ಳತಕ್ಕ ಪ್ರತಿ).

ಮಾಹೆ ನೇ ತಾರೀಖು 190 ನೇ ಇಸವಿ

ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಟೈಜರಿ ಆಫಿಸರವರಿಗೆ

ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ನೇ ನಂಬರ್

ಷರಾಬ್ ದಾರನಾದ

ನಿಂದ ಈ ಕೆಳಗೆ ನಮೂದಿಸುವ ಪರಾಬಿಗೋಸ್ಕರ

ಅಕ್ಷರದಲ್ಲೂ ರೂಪಾಯಿ ಆಣೆ ಪೈ

ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಖಜಾನೆಗೆ ರವಾನಿಸಲ್ಪಟ್ಟಿರುತ್ತೆ.

ಪರಾಬಿನ ವಿವರ	ಪರಿಮಾಣ ಗ್ಯಾ.	ಪರಿಮಾಣ ಡ್ರಾಂ.	ಶೀಷೆ	ಡ್ಯೂಟಿ ದರ	ಡ್ಯೂಟಿ ಮೊಬಲಗು	ಖರೀದಿ ದರ	ಪರಾಬಿನ ಖರೀದಿ
20°ಡಿಗ್ರಿ ಅಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರೂಫ್ ಷರಾಬ್ ಜುವ್ವಾ ..				ರೂ. ಆ. ಪೈ.	ರೂ. ಆ. ಪೈ.	ರೂ. ಆ. ಪೈ.	ರೂ. ಆ. ಪೈ.

ರುಜು.

ಮಾಹೆ ನೇ ತಾರೀಖಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ಮೊಬಲಗು ದಾಖಲಾಗಿ

ಖಜಾನೆ ಲೆಕ್ಕಕ್ಕೆ ಜಮೆ ಹಿಡಿದಿರುತ್ತೆ.

ಟೈಜರಿ ಆಫಿಸರವರ ಮೊಹರು ವ ರುಜು.

ಷರಾಫನ ರುಃ ನಗದಿ ಗುಮಾಸ್ತೆ ರುಜು.

CISE DEPT.

ಶಿಷ್ಟ ಎಫ್. ನಂ.

ದೊಡನೆ ರವಾನೆಯಾಗತಕ್ಕ ಪ್ರತಿ.)

ನೇ ತಾರೀಖು 190 ನೇ ಇಸವಿ

ಆಫಿಸರವರಿಗೆ.

ನೇ ನಂಬರ್

ದಾನಾದ

ನಿಂದ ಈ ಕೆಳಗೆ ನಮೂದಿಸುವ ಪರಾಬಿಗೋಸ್ಕರ

ಆಣೆ. ಪೈ.

ತ್ತೆ.

ಶೇಷೆ	ಡ್ಯೂಟಿ ಮೊಬಲಗು	ಡ್ಯೂಟಿ ದರ

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ೀ ತಾರೀಖಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ಮೊಬಲಗು ದಾಖಲಾಗಿ

ಟ್ರೈಜರಿ ಆಫಿಸರವರ ಮೊಹರು ವ ರುಜು.

ನಗದೀ ಗುಮಾಸ್ತೆ ರುಜು.

A 54]

MYSORE EXCISE DEPT.

(ಅರ್ಪಿಡಿಕ್ಸ್ F.) ಪರಿಶಿಷ್ಟ ಎಫ್. ನಂ.

(ಸೆಂಟರಲ್ ಡಿಸ್ಟ್ರಿಲೇರೀ ಎಕ್ಸೈಜ್ ಆಫಿಸರಿಗೆ ಒಪ್ಪಿಸತಕ್ಕ ಪ್ರತಿ.)

ಮಾಹೆ ನೇ ತಾರೀಖು 190 ನೇ ಇಸವಿ

ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಟ್ರೈಜರಿ ಆಫಿಸರವರಿಗೆ.

ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು

ನೇ ನಂಬರ್

ಷರಾಬ್ ದಾರನಾದ

ನಿಂದ ಈ ಕೆಳಗೆ ನಮೂದಿಸುವ ಪರಾಬಿಗೋಸ್ಕರ

ಅಕ್ಷರದಲ್ಲೂ ರೂಪಾಯಿ. ಆಣೆ. ಪೈ.

ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಖಜಾನೆಗೆ ರವಾನಿಸಲ್ಪಟ್ಟಿರುತ್ತೆ.

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ಟ್ರೈಜರಿ ಆಫಿಸರವರಿಗೆ.

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ಅರ್ಪಿಡಿಕ್ಸ್ G. ಪರಿಶಿಷ್ಟ ಜಿ. ನಂ.

(ಬಾಂಡೆಡ್ ಕೋಠಿ ಮುತ್ಸದ್ದೀರಿಗೆ ಒಪ್ಪಿಸತಕ್ಕ ಪ್ರತಿ).

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ನಗದಿ ಗುಮಾಸ್ತೆ ರುಜು.

A 56] MYSORE EXCISE DEPT

Appendix H.

(ಅಪೆಂಡಿಕ್ಸ್ H) ಪರಿಶಿಷ್ಟ ಎಚ್.

(To be retained in the Bonded Depot)

ಬಾಂಡೆಡ್ ಕೋಠಿಯಲ್ಲಿರತಕ್ಕದ್ದು

INDENT TO DISTILLERY OFFICER FOR SUPPLIES OF LIQUOR.

ಸಾರಾಯಿ ಸರಬರಾಯಿಗೋಸ್ಕರ ದರಖಾಸ್ತ್ ಡಿಸ್ಟಿಲರಿ ಆಫೀಸರಿಗೆ

Please supply the following liquors to the Bonded Depot at ..... in the Taluk of .....

ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಬಾಂಡೆಡ್ ಕೋಠಿ

ಗೋಸ್ಕರ ಈ ಕೆಳಗೆ ನಮೂದಿಸುವ ಸಾರಾಯಿಗಳನ್ನ ಕಳುಹಿಸಬೇಕೆಂದು ಕೋರುತ್ತೇನೆ

Nature and Strength of Liquor ಸಾರಾಯಿಯ ವಿವರ ಮತ್ತು ಜೋರು	Casks ಪಿಪಾಯಿಗಳು	Bottles ಶೀಷೇಗಳು

Dated
ತಾರೀಖು

Official in charge of the Bonded Depot
ಬಾಂಡೆಡ್ ಕೋಠಿಯ ಜವೆಬ್ದಾರಿ ರುಜು

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INDENT TO DISTILLERY OF

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Please supply the fo

Depot at .....

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Nature and Strength ಸಾರಾಯಿಯ ವಿವರ ಮ

Dated
ತಾರೀಖು

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A 57] Appendix I.

(To be retained with Officer in charge of Distillery.)

Rs._____

To—The Treasury Officer, Bangalore District.

Please pay_____

_____ the sum of Rs._____ Annas_____ and Pies_____ on account of the following items of Liquor purchased and issued to the undermentioned Bonded Depots on the_____ day of_____ 19 .

Name of Taluk.	Name of Bonded Depot.	Description of Liquor.	Quantity.		Total number of cass.	Number of jars or bottles.	Rate of price.
			Gals.	drs.			

Seal and signature of Excise Officer in charge of Distillery.

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(To be sent to the Exc

To—The Treasury Officer,

Please pay_____

_____ the sum of Rs.

Pies_____ on account of the

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the_____ day of_____

Name of Taluk.	Name of Bonded Depot.

Seal and sign

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ರವಾನಿಸತಕ್ಕದ್ದು

ICER FOR SUPPLIES OF LIQUOR.
ರ ದರಖಾಸ್ತ್ ಡಿಸ್ಟಿಲರಿ ಆಫೀಸರಿಗೆ

owing liquors to the Bonded
in the Taluk of .. ..

ಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಬಾಂಡೆಡ್ ಕೋಠಿ
ುಗಳನ್ನ ಕಳುಹಿಸಬೇಕೆಂದು ಕೋರುತ್ತೇನೆ

of Liquor ೋರು	Casks ಪೀಪಾಯಿಗಳು	Bottles ಶೀಷೇಗಳು

Official in charge of the
Bonded Depot
ಬಾಂಡೆಡ್ ಕೋಠಿಯ ಜವ್ಮೆದಾರ್ರ ರುಜು

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Appendix H.

(ಅರ್ಪೆಂಡಿಕ್ಸ್ H) ಪರಿಷ್ಟ ಎಚ್.

To be sent to Government Arrack Carrying Contractor.
(ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಇಜಾರೇದಾರ್ರಿಗೆ ರವಾನಿಸತಕ್ಕದ್ದು)

INDENT TO DISTILLERY OFFICER FOR SUPPLIES OF LIQUOR.
ಸಾರಾಯಿ ಸರಬರಾಯಿಗೋಸ್ಕರ ದರಖಾಸ್ತ್ ಡಿಸ್ಟಿಲರಿ ಆಫೀಸರಿಗೆ

Please supply the following liquors to the Bonded Depot at.....in the Taluk of.....

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ಗೋಸ್ಕರ ಈ ಕೆಳಿಗೆ ನವೂದಿಸುವ ಸಾರಾಯಿಗಳನ್ನ ಕಳುಹಿಸಬೇಕೆಂದು ಕೋರುತ್ತೇನೆ
ಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಬಾಂಡೆಡ್ ಕೋಠಿ

Nature and Strength of Liquor ಸಾರಾಯಿಯ ವಿವರ ವ ಜೋರು	Casks ಪೀಪಾಯಿಗಳು	Bottles ಶೀಷೇಗಳು

Dated
ತಾರೀಖು

Official in charge of the
Bonded Depot
ಬಾಂಡೆಡ್ ಕೋಠಿಯ ಜವ್ಮೆದಾರ್ರ ರುಜು

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se Commissioner's office.)

s. _____

Bangalore District.

_____Annas _____ and

following items of Liquor pur-
ermentioned Bonded Depots on

_____ 190 .

escrip-on of iquor.	Quantity.		Total number of casks.	Number of jars or bottles	Rate of price.
	Gals.	drs.			

ture of Excise Officer
in charge of Distillery.

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Appendix I.

(To be given to the Distillery.)

Rs. _____

To--The Treasury Officer, Bangalore District.

Please pay _____

_____the sum of Rs._____Annas_____and

Pies_____on account of the following items of Liquor purchased and issued to the undermentioned Bonded Depots on

the_____day of _____190 .

Name of Taluk.	Name of Bonded Depot.	Description of Liquor.	Quantity.		Total number of casks.	Number of jars or bottles.	Rate of price.
			Gals.	drs.			

Seal and signature of Excise Officer
in charge of Distillery.

MYSORE EXCISE DEPARTMENT.

A 65] Appendix Q.

Report of Excise Advances for the month of 190

to the Comptroller and Excise Commissioner

Nature of the advance. (In this column explain the purpose for which the advance was made)	Balance outstanding at the beginning of the month	Amount advanced during the month	Total	Amount recovered during the month	Balance outstanding at the close of the month.	Steps taken for the realization of the balance.

Dated.....

.....190

Signature Treasury Officer

.....District

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A 66] APPENDIX R.

LICENSE GRANTED TO PERSONS PLACED IN CHARGE OF BONDED DEPOTS UNDER ARRACK DISTRIBUTING CONTRACTOR APPOINTED BY GOVERNMENT.

No.

I,..... Deputy Commissioner of the..... District, under the provisions of the Excise Regulation, V of 1901, hereby license you .....
.....
appointed to the charge of the Bonded Depôt at.. .....
by.....who has been granted the right of conveying Arrack and other Country Spirits under bond from the Central Distillery to the various Bonded Depôts in the Mysore State for the year 190 , subject to the following conditions and stipulations to be observed by you, the said

CONDITIONS.

1. You shall place this license in a conspicuous place in your depôt. The employment of persons suffering from leprosy or any contagious disease in the depôt is prohibited.

2. You shall not mix, or knowingly permit any other person to mix, in the Arrack and other country spirits under your charge, any ingredient pernicious to health, or other noxious material intended or supposed to increase the power of the spirit or to add to its intoxicating quality.

3. You shall issue Arrack only to licensed farmers and separate shop-keepers attached to your depôt, on production of Treasury Receipt, in proof of the payment of duty and price of Arrack, and double-distilled or rectified country spirits, to hospitals and other public institutions on production of similar receipts, no duty being levied on spirits supplied to hospitals. Sample bottles shall be issued with all consignments to shops in such manner as may be ordered by the Excise Commissioner.

4. You shall issue permits in the prescribed form for the transit of Arrack from your depôt to the shops dependent thereon. You shall not issue consignments of Arrack which have to be transported through British territory without duly sealing them with the Government seal supplied for the purpose.

5. You shall not open your depôt before sunrise.

6. You shall not keep your depôt open after 8 P. M.; nor shall you allow any one to remain in your depôt during night after that hour. The depôt shall be kept open during the authorized hours, unless its temporary or permanent closure is authorized by the Deputy Commissioner.

7. You shall not receive any grain, jewels, goods, wearing apparel or other article in barter or in pawn for Arrack, but, on the offer of any such, shall give information to the nearest Magistrate or Police officer. You shall have no pecuniary dealings with any Excise Officer.

8. You shall not allow any quantity of spirits to be removed by any individual from your depôt on any pretence whatever, without a valid permit.

9. You shall keep an account showing the quantity and strength of Arrack and other spirits received in your depôt, the quantity and strength of Arrack and other spirits issued, and the quantity and strength of those remaining unissued each day. Such accounts shall be in such form as may be prescribed by the Excise Commissioner, or Deputy Commissioner and shall be produced for the inspection of the Deputy Commissioner or of any Officer appointed by him for the purpose of inspecting them, or of an Excise Officer, whenever required. The issues of spirits of higher or lower strength than 20° under-proof shall be accounted for separately in the prescribed form.

10. You shall be bound to furnish such returns and information as may, from time to time, be required by the Excise Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner.

11. You shall not keep in your depôt any Arrack and other spirits except those supplied by the Government contractor; neither shall you keep in your depôt, Arrack of any other strength than 20° under-proof without special permission. The Arrack and other spirits kept in your depôt shall be unadulterated and undiluted.

12. You shall not keep Arrack and other spirits at any other place than that specified in this license.

13. You shall use such measures as may, from time to time, be prescribed by Government.

14. Such measures shall be tested and stamped by the Excise Department.

15. You shall keep, if required to do so by the Excise Commissioner, an hydrometer of the prescribed description.

This license may be re-called by me at any time.

Dated the day of 190

SCHEDULE SHOWING THE BOUNDARIES OF THE DEPÔT.

Street and Door No. or other particulars.	Bounded on the—				Remarks.
	North by	East by	South by	West by	

Deputy Commissioner.

No.

COUNTERPART AGREEMENT TO BE EXECUTED BY PERSONS PLACED IN CHARGE OF BONDED DEPOT UNDER ARRACK DISTRIBUTING CONTRACTOR.

I,..... son of ..... residing at ..... appointed to the charge of a depôt at ..... by ..... who has been granted the exclusive privilege of distributing Arrack and other Country Spirits to the farmers and separate shop-keepers in the various Districts except Bangalore, from the..... day of ..... 190 , to the.....day of.....190 having been licensed by the Deputy Commissioner of the District of..... .....to issue Arrack and other Country Spirits in the said depôt from the.....day of.....190 , to the .....day of .....190 , do for myself, my heirs, my legal representatives and assigns, hereby agree with the said Deputy Commissioner that I will well and truly observe and perform the conditions and stipulations contained in the License No.....dated the day of.....190 . issued to me by the said Deputy Commissioner.

Dated the.....day of.....190

Witnesses—

1 Signature.

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A 67] MYSORE EXCISE DEPARTMENT.

Appendix S (i).

FORM OF CONTRACT BOND TO BE EXECUTED BY THE GOVERNMENT CONTRACTOR FOR CARRIAGE OF ARRACK AND OTHER COUNTRY SPIRITS TO THE BANGALORE CITY BONDED DEPOT.

WHEREAS I, , have been granted by the Government of Mysore for the period of five years beginning with the 1st of July , and ending with the 30th of June 190 , the right of conveying arrack and other country spirits from the Central Distillery *under bond* to the Depôt in the City of Bangalore, in quantities sufficient to meet the demand of the separate shops dependent on such Depôt, and whereas the said Government has agreed to pay me the remuneration hereinafter described, I, the said , for myself, my heirs, legal representatives, and assigns hereby agree and bind myself to all the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth :—

(1) that I hold myself responsible to Government for the correct delivery of the requisite supplies of arrack at 20° under-proof to the separate shop-keepers in the said Bonded Depôt at the City of Bangalore, on production of Treasury receipts in proof prepayment of duty and price of such arrack ;

(2) that in special cases sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner, I shall be bound to carry the requisite supply of arrack to any altered locality of the existing Depôt provided the expense to me is not likely to be greater than supplying the present Depôt ;

(3) that as remuneration for my contract, the Government shall pay me, at the end of each month, an amount calculated at the rate of for every gallon of arrack conveyed by me from the Central Distillery to the Depôt, and shall allow me no wastage under any circumstances whatsoever ;

(4) that the usual establishment required for such Depôt and the house rent shall be paid for by myself ;

(5) that the establishment at the Depôt shall keep such accounts as may be prescribed by the Excise Commissioner, and shall be under the control and orders of myself, and regard themselves as my servants ;

(6) that I shall conform to the Excise Laws and Rules now in force, and which may from time to time be issued by Government, and also to such rules of practice as may be prescribed by the Excise Commissioner ;

(7) that for the due fulfilment of the terms of this contract, I hereby deposit in the Huzur Treasury the sum of rupees one thousand in cash, (or Government Securities duly endorsed in favor of the Dewan) ;

(8) that I equally with the Depôt-keeper shall be bound by the conditions of the Depôt license, Appendix R of Arrack Rules ;

(9) that I shall be bound to dismiss any of my servants on the requisition of the Excise Commissioner or the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, and appoint qualified men instead without delay ;

(10) that I shall be bound to make good the loss accruing to Government and the separate shop-keepers by short stock or no stock in the said Depôt, or by my neglect or carelessness in not conveying the necessary supplies of arrack to the Depôt in due time.

(11) that as the liability of the manufacturers ceases on delivery by them of arrack to me at the Distillery, all further liability or responsibility to account for the whole quantity of such arrack thenceforth, shall rest with me, and any diminution from any cause whatever, (Acts of Good and the State's enemies and robbery by vis major excepted), shall be made good by me at the prescribed rate of still-head duty and price per gallon of 20° under-proof, and proportionately for higher or lower strengths ;

(12) that in case of any breach of the laws and rules or of the aforesaid conditions, or in case of any attempt at fraud by my servants, agents or employees, it shall be competent to the Excise Commissioner to impose upon them, or upon myself in the event of my neglect, a fine not exceeding Rs. 50 for every such breach or

neglect, or, at the option of the Excise Commissioner to declare the money deposited by me forfeited; and to cancel the contract with previous sanction of Government;

(13) that the imposition of a fine or the forfeiture of the deposit, or the cancelment of the contract, shall not be held to prevent prosecution for any offence committed under any law for the time being in force; and

(14) that this contract shall not be transferable except with the consent of the Excise Commissioner subject to the approval of Government.

In witness whereof I, ereunto set my hand and seal this day of 190 .

Sealed, signed and delivered in the presence of us :—

Witnesses :—

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APPENDIX S (ii).

FORM OF CONTRACT BOND TO BE EXECUTED BY THE GOVERNMENT CONTRACTOR FOR CARRIAGE OF ARRACK AND OTHER COUNTRY SPIRITS TO BONDED DEPOTS.

WHEREAS I, , have been granted by the Government of Mysore, for the period of five years beginning with the 1st of July and ending with the 30th of June 190 , the right of conveying arrack and other country spirits from the Central Distillery *under bond* to the various Depots in the Districts of Kolar, Tumkur, Mysore, Hassan, Kadur, Shimoga and Chitaldrug, in quantities sufficient to meet the demand of farms and separate shops dependent on such Depots, and whereas the said Government has agreed to pay me the remuneration hereinafter described, I the said , for myself, my heirs legal representatives and assigns hereby agree and bind myself to all the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth :—

(1) that I hold myself responsible to Government for the correct delivery of the requisite supplies of arrack at 20° under-proof to the various arrack vend renters or farmers and separate shop-keepers, in the said Bonded Depots, and of other country spirits for the use of hospitals, dispensaries, etc., on production of Treasury receipts in proof of prepayment of duty and price of such arrack and of the price of other country spirits for the use of hospitals, etc.;

(2) that in special cases sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner at the instance of any farmer, I shall be bound to open new Depots in any tract and to carry the requisite supply of arrack to such new Depots or to any altered locality of the existing Depots, provided the expense to me is not likely to be greater than maintaining and supplying present Depots ;

(3) that as remuneration for my contract, the Government shall pay me at the end of each month an amount calculated at the rate of annas for every gallon of spirits conveyed by me from the Central Distillery to the Depots, and shall also allow me actual wastage at a rate not exceeding one and a-quarter per cent on the quantity of arrack removed by me from the Distillery and till actual delivery at the Depots of the liquor to the farmers ;

(4) that the usual establishment required for such Depots and the house rent shall be paid for by myself ;

(5) that the establishment at such Depots shall keep such accounts as may be prescribed by the Excise Commissioner, and shall be under the control and orders of myself, and regard themselves as my servants ;

(6) that I shall conform to the Excise Laws and Rules now in force, and which may from time to time be issued by Government, and also to such rules of practice as may be prescribed by the Excise Commissioner ;

(7) that for the due fulfilment of the terms of this contract, I hereby deposit in the Huzur Treasury the sum of rupees five thousand in cash, (or Government Securities duly endorsed in favor of the Dewan) ;

(8) that I equally with the Depot-keepers shall be bound by the conditions of the Depot license, Appendix R of Arrack Rules ;

(9) that I shall be bound to dismiss any of my servants on the requisition of the Excise Commissioner or the Deputy Commissioner of the District in which they may be employed, and appoint qualified men instead without delay.

(10) that I shall be bound to make good the loss accruing to Government and the farmers and separate shop-keepers by short stock or no stock in the said Depots, or by my neglect or carelessness in not conveying the necessary supplies of arrack to the Depots in due time ;

(11) that as the liability of the manufacturers ceases on delivery by them of spirits to me at the Distillery, all further liability or responsibility to account for the whole quantity of such spirits thenceforth, shall rest with me, and any diminution from any cause whatever, (Acts of God and the State's enemies and robbery by vis major excepted), over and above the aforesaid one and a-quarter per cent wastage, shall be made good by me at the prescribed rate of still-head duty and price per gallon of 20° under-proof, and proportionately for higher or lower strengths ;

(12) that in case of any breach of the laws and rules or of the aforesaid conditions, or in case of any attempt at fraud by my servants, agents or employees, it shall be competent to the Excise Commissioner to impose upon them, or upon myself in the event of my neglect, a fine not exceeding Rs. 50 for every such breach or neglect, or, at the option of the Excise Commissioner to declare the money deposited by me forfeited ; and to cancel the contract with the previous sanction of Government ;

(13) that the imposition of a fine, or the forfeiture of the deposit, or the cancelment of the contract, shall not be held to prevent prosecution for any offence committed under any law for the time being in force ; and

(14) that this contract shall not be tansferable except with the consent of the Excise Commissioner subject to the approval of Government.

In witness whereof I, , hereunto set my hand and seal this day of 190 .

Scaled, signed and delivered in the presence of us :—

Witnesses :—

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REVENUE.

Notification No. 9515—Ex. F. 1-1901, dated 17th December 1901.

Tenders in the form hereunto appended are hereby invited for the exclusive privilege of the Manufacture of Arrack and other Country Spirits for the territories of Mysore, inclusive of the Civil and Military Station, of Bangalore, for a period of five years from **1st July 1902 to 30th June 1907.**

2. The contract for the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore is included in this Notification with the permission of the Honorable the Resident in Mysore.

3. The privilege for which tenders are now invited will be conceded subject to the conditions specified in para 8 of this Notification, and to the Excise Laws passed by the Government of Mysore, and to the Excise Law in force for the time being within the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore. It will not include the manufacture or sale of Toddy, or of "Foreign Spirits and Foreign Fermented Liquors," or of Country Beer.

4. The quantity of Arrack required is estimated at between 31,000 and 35,000 gallons a month, the quantity actually issued from the Bangalore Distillery in the year 1900-01 having been 363,723 gallons. No quantity is however guaranteed to the manufacturer, who is bound by actual requirements, be the same more or less than the estimated quantity.

5. Tenderers must specify the lowest rate per gallon of 20° under-proof separately for jaggory arrack and for molasses arrack at which they offer to supply during the whole period of the contract. The price thus tendered for and accepted by Government shall be the price at which Arrack of 20° under-proof will be sold by the manufacturer to separate shop-keepers and to renters of vend farms, during the currency of the contract granted under this Notification. For double distilled or rectified spirits and other special liquors of greater or lesser strength than 20° under-proof, which may be specially manufactured and issued with the approval of the Government, the manufacturer as well as the persons entitled to vend the same will be allowed to fix their own prices; but for single-distilled spirits of greater or lesser strength than 20° under-proof, the price chargeable by him will be according to such strength proportionately on the rate fixed for Arrack 20° under-proof in accordance with Casella's Rules.

6. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of **Rs. 5,000** in cash, or in Government securities, duly endorsed in favor of "The Dewan of Mysore," and enclosed in a cover superscribed with the words "Tender for the exclusive privilege of the Manufacture of Arrack," and must be sent to the **Excise Commissioner at Bangalore** so as to reach him before noon on Monday the **10th February 1902,** after which date no tender will be received. The tenders will be opened by the Excise Commissioner at his office in **Bangalore** at 12 o'clock noon on the **10th February 1902,** in the presence of the applicants who may be present. The final disposal of the tenders will rest with the Government, who reserve to themselves full power to reject any or all of the tenders without assigning any reason. The deposits made by the applicants whose tenders are rejected, will be returned to them on their application.

7. The applicant, whose tender may be finally accepted by the Government, shall, within eight days of the acceptance of his tender being communicated to him, deposit at the Huzur

Treasury, Bangalore, a further sum in cash, or in Government securities, duly endorsed in favor of "The Dewan of Mysore," to make up with the deposit previously made, the sum of **Twenty-five Thousand Rupees**, and shall execute an agreement, in the prescribed form on proper stamp, offering as additional security all his apparatus and stock and block in the Distillery, and binding himself to conform to the conditions hereinafter set forth, and if he fails or refuses to sign the agreement, or to make the deposit required, the deposit already made by him will be forfeited to Government, and the contract otherwise disposed of.

8. The contract for which tenders are now invited shall be subject to the following conditions, namely :—

I. The contractor will be required to manufacture arrack and other country spirits within the enclosure of the Government Distillery near Bangalore, or at such other place as may be approved by the Government. For the use of the Distillery buildings near Bangalore and the arrangements existing in connection with the water-supply, the contractor shall pay rent to Government at Rs. 500 *per mensem*. Such improvement or addition to the said buildings or water-supply as may be approved by the Government will be carried out at Government cost subject to the payment by the contractor of such additional rent or rate as may be fixed by Government; and such repairs, to the Distillery buildings and channels as may be pointed out by the Executive Engineer, shall also be promptly executed by the contractor provided the annual cost of such repairs does not exceed 50 rupees.

II. The contractor will be required to keep in store at the Central Distillery, ordinarily a supply sufficient for a month's consumption, (31,000 gallons at the present rate of consumption) and *never less* than 18,000 gallons of admissible spirits in terms of 20° under-proof.

III. The contractor will be allowed to purchase Arrack and other country spirits from any Sugar Factory which may be established in Mysore, and which may be authorized by Government to distil Arrack and other country spirits. Should the contractor himself establish a Sugar Factory and distil Arrack and other country spirits therein, with the permission of the Government, he will be bound to keep in stock at such factory such quantities of Arrack and other country spirits, as may be fixed by Government.

IV. The spirits manufactured shall be of good quality, distilled water only being invariably used at the Distillery under the supervision of the Senior Officer in charge of the Distillery for reducing strong spirits to the authorized strength. The articles used in distilling shall be approved by the said officer. No ingredients obnoxious to health shall be used in distilling or put into the arrack or other country spirit or special liquor after it has been manufactured. The spirits manufactured shall not be adulterated or diluted.

V. In outlying tracts where, owing to small consumption or other causes, there is reason to suspect illicit distillation, Government will be at liberty to establish out-stills, after giving the contractor the first refusal of so doing.

VI. (1) The contractor shall, upon receipt by him of price at the rate fixed by his contract, sell the arrack at the Government Distillery or other place where he may be allowed to manufacture the same. Such sales shall only be—

1st. For the supply of such Bonded Depôts as Government may, from time to time, establish and maintain;

2nd. To separate shop-keepers licensed to sell in the Cities of Bangalore and Mysore and Kolar Gold Fields and in other places to which the Separate Shop System has been or may be extended;

3rd. To renters of Vend Farms to whom the Government may sell the right to vend Arrack in defined tracts;

4th. For the supply of the Government Excise Depôt in the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore in compliance with indents received from the Superintendent of Excise, Civil and Military Station, through the Senior Officer in charge of the Distillery. Arrack supplied to the Civil and Military Station will not be paid for in advance but once a fortnight on receipt of bills from the contractor to be submitted to the Collector, Civil and Military Station through the said Superintendent of Excise.

(2) The contractor shall have no interest in the retail vend of Arrack.

(3) The contractor shall sell double-distilled or rectified spirits and other special liquors manufactured by him to the licensees for the vend of "Foreign Spirits and Foreign Fermented Liquors" other than *draught* Foreign Malt Liquors. He shall also sell the same to Bonded Depôts and to Hospitals and other public institutions, on the Excise Commissioner's requisition.

No spirit shall be allowed to be removed from the Government Distillery, or other authorized place of manufacture, or from a Bonded Depôt, unless the purchaser produces a Treasury receipt for the amount of duty paid therefor.

NOTE.—This condition does not apply to removal of arrack for the supply of the Government Excise Depôt in the Civil and Military Station for which no Treasury receipt will be required.

VII. The contractor shall be bound to conform to the provisions of the Excise Laws for the time being in force in the Territories of Mysore and in the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore; and he shall see that all his employees give full effect to them.

VIII. The out-going contractor shall give and the in-coming contractor shall take over, any Arrack or other Country Spirits and Special Liquors not exceeding a month's supply, which may remain as stock in hand on the last day of the expiring contract, the latter paying the former for the same such value as may be fixed by the Excise Commissioner.

IX. Should the in-coming contractor or the Excise Commissioner so require by at least one week's previous notice in writing, the out-going contractor shall cease preparing "Wash" during the last month of the expiring contract, and vacate the buildings so as to admit of the in-coming contractor commencing operations. Should no such notice be given, the out-going contractor may continue distilling till the end of his contract, after which further distillation by him must cease. The in-coming contractor shall issue arrack and other country spirits and other special liquors from the Distillery to Bonded Depots if so required by the Excise Commissioner in sufficient time (not exceeding two weeks prior to the commencement of his contract) to have his supply ready in all Bonded Depots for issue from the 1st July of the first year of his contract.

The out-going contractor shall sell, and the in-coming contractor shall buy, all apparatus and stock and block belonging to the former at the Government Distillery near Bangalore, or other authorized place of distillation for a fair and equitable price to be fixed by the Excise Commissioner calculating the original cost and deducting therefrom such portion of it on account of depreciation as may be considered reasonable. Timely notice of the price thus fixed will be given to the out-going contractor, and to intending tenderers by a notification duly published in that behalf.

XI. Improvements of a permanent nature shall be retained and shall not be disturbed except with the approval of the Executive Engineer.

XII. In case of a breach of any of the above conditions, Government will be at liberty to cancel the contract and to declare the deposit made by the contractor and all his apparatus and stock and block, forfeited and also to recover from the defaulting contractor such further loss as may be occasioned by such breach.

9. The following items of information are appended:—

NOTE 1.—Table showing the annual quantity of Arrack issued from the Distillery during the past ten years:—

	1891-92. Gallons.	1892-93. Gallons.	1893-94. Gallons.	1894-95. Gallons.	1895-96. Gallons.	1896-97. Gallons.	1897-98. Gallons.	1898-99. Gallons.	1899-00. Gallons.	1900-01. Gallons.
Bangalore Civil and Military Station.	110,785	88,967	92,776	100,593	105,979	100,650	73,749	79,133	67,836	53,920
Bangalore City	63,848	58,654	59,617	66,781	72,094	68,238	57,790	59,424	54,846	49,257
Other parts of the Province ...	360,626	318,776	340,556	371,115	373,862	346,780	296,341	286,799	271,623	265,546
Total ...	535,259	466,397	492,949	538,489	551,935	515,668	427,880	425,356	394,305	363,723

NOTE 2.—The still-head duty payable to Government for Arrack of 20° under-proof by Separate Shop-keepers and Vend Farmers is Rs. 4-12-0 per gallon, and the retail price thereof payable to the latter by the consuming public is Rs. 6-6-0 per gallon or two annas per dram which is equal to $\frac{1}{51}$st part of a gallon, except in such tracts or places where this rate of two annas per dram has been, or may hereafter be, fixed as the minimum rate. The rates of still-head duty and retail price of single distilled spirits of greater or less strength than 20° under-proof, will be calculated proportionately upon the rates for 20° under-proof, in accordance with Casella's Rules. Government reserve to themselves the power of altering the rates of duty and price, it being distinctly understood that the manufacturing contractor shall not be entitled to claim any compensation for loss on account of such alteration. When any liquor other than ordinary arrack manufactured in pursuance of this privilege or any liquor falling within the definition of foreign liquor is supplied by the contractor for sale within the Civil and Military Station, the duty chargeable thereon shall be assessed at the rates leviable for similar liquor of similar strength under the Tariff Act, VIII of 1894.

NOTE 3.—For double-distilled or rectified spirits of all strengths, the rates of still-head duty will be calculated proportionately upon the rate for 20° under-proof, in accordance with Casella's Rules. But for these spirits as well as for other special liquors manufactured at the Government Central Distillery, Bangalore, or other place approved by Government, both the manufacturer and the licensed vendor will be at liberty to fix their own prices.

NOTE 4.—The present contractors are reported to have, up to the end of August 1901, incurred an expenditure of Rs. 87,831 on account of plant put up.

APPENDIX.

FORM OF TENDER.

To

The Excise Commissioner in Mysore,

Bangalore.

SIR,

With reference to the Mysore Government Notification No. 9515—Ex. F. 1-1901, dated 17th December 1901, published in the *Mysore Gazette*, I beg to tender for the exclusive privilege of the Manufacture of Arrack and other Country Spirits for the territories of Mysore, inclusive of the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, for a period of five years from **1st July 1902 to 30th June 1907,** subject to the terms and conditions specified in the Notification above quoted.

2. I hereby offer to manufacture and supply Arrack of the strength of 20° under-proof as per particulars below—

	Rate per gallon of 20° under-proof. Rs. a. p.
Jaggory Arrack	
Molasses Arrack	

for the entire period of the contract.

3. I enclose_____for **Rs. 5,000** duly endorsed in favor of "The Dewan of Mysore," as required by para 6 of the said Notification.

I beg to remain,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

*Date*_____

*Address*_____

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No. 1818 Exc 2

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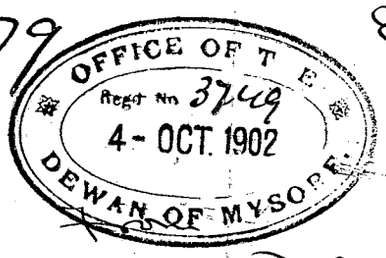
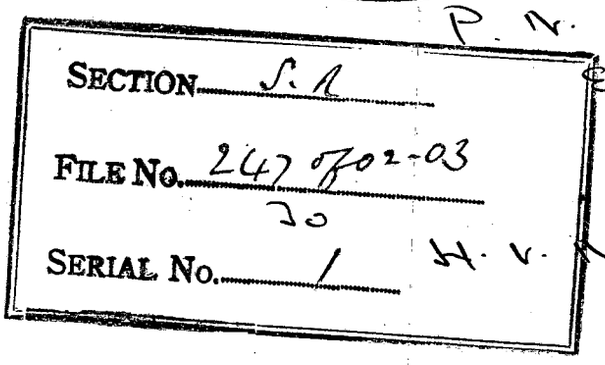


Excise Commissioner's Office
Bangalore dated 1st October 1902

P. N. Punnaiyya Esq B.A.
Excise Commissioner in Mysore



H. V. Ranganadayya Esq. M.A. M.L.
Secretary to Government
Rev. and Gen. Departments.

Sir,

In submitting herewith copies of the telegram dated 14th September 1902 from the Agents of Messrs. Arbuthnot and Co. and my reply to the said Company No. 1817/44 of the 27th idem, I have the honour to express my doubt whether any liability exists such as is urged in the telegram under clause 2 section II of Part I of Rules for Manufacture

I have the honour to remain
Sir
your most obedient Servant.

Excise Commissioner in
Mysore

Enclosure to Sl. 2

Message dated 14th September 1902

From

Addl. Messrs. Arbuthnot & Co.
Coimbatore

To

The Excise Commissioner to the
Government of Mysore.

understand main pipe burst distillery must hold you responsible for all losses incured owing to want of water consequently wash going sour

"Copy" J. M. Murdoch

Excise Commissioner
in Mysore.

Excise Commissioner's office 3
Bangalore, dated 24th September 1902
3rd October

Enclosure to Sl

No. 1817/44 Enc 2

From

The Excise Commissioner
in Mysore.

To

Messrs. Arbuthnot and Co
Madras

Sirs,

With reference to the accompanying telegram from your agent I have the honour to forward herewith copy of docket No 4653/1690 dated 25th/27 instant from the Executive Engineer, Bangalore Division, from which it will be seen that the breach in the Distillery water supply pipe line was promptly repaired.

2. The Agent would have done well to leave it to you to address me regarding my liabilities, confining himself to merely notifying to me what had gone wrong for the purpose of mending and reporting matters

to you in any manner he thought-
fit.

I have the honour to be
Sir
your most obedient servant-
(Signed) P. N. Punnayya
Excise Commissioner in Mys

"Copy"

Excise Commissioner
in Mysore

SECTION S-A

FILE No. 2677/02-03

SERIAL No. 2

Read:- ✓

Letter no 1818/79 dy 18th October 02 from Mercara Commy in Mysore forwarding copies of telegram dated 17th September 02 from the Agent of Messrs Arbuthnot & Co Arrack manufacturers for the State ~~relating~~ reporting that there was a breach in the main pipe of the Distillery waterworks & stating that the Q. Comn would be held responsible for all losses incurred & his (Q. Comn's) liability thereto.

Order thereon: no 216 RA 252-9 dy 27-10-02

Recorded with the observation that the Mercara Commn may submit to

Court. a detailed report on the subject in case the Contractors should press their claim.

25/10/02

Do Mechanical Commr

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Rec'd 12 Nov. 1902

SECTION S. A

FILE No. 247 P 02-03

SERIAL No. 3

FROM P. N. Purnaiya Esquire B.A
Excise Commissioner
in Mysore

To
H. V. Nanjundayya Esquire
M.A.M.L
Secretary to the Government of
Mysore
General & Revenue Departments

Dated 7th

Despatched 11th November 1902

Received

General No. 2545

No. 107

Enclosure No. 1.

Submits for information
Copy of Messrs. Arbuthnot &
Co's communication regard-
ing the damages owing
to the breach in the main pipe
of the Distillery Water works.

E in

Excise Commissioner's Office

No. 2545/107 Bangalore, Dated 7th November 1902

From

P. N. Purnaiya Esquire B.A
Excise Commissioner in Mysore

To,

H. V. Nanjundayya Esquire M.A.M.L
Secretary to the Government of Mysore
General & Revenue Departments

Sir,

With reference to Government Proceedings No. 216/R.F. 252-92, dated 27th October 1902, observing that the Excise Commissioner may submit to Government a detailed report in case Messrs Arbuthnot & Co., arrack manufacturers to the Mysore State, should press their claim to any damages owing to the breach in the main pipe of the Distillery water works, I have the honor to submit herewith for information of Government copy of Messrs Arbuthnot & Co's letter of the 6th ultimo

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most Obedient, Servant
P. Purnaiya
Excise Commissioner
in Mysore

Enclosures to 8 & 9

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Fr Burkhardt & Co
Madras.

Madras 6th October 1902.

S. N. Purnaiya Esquire Ba.

Excise Commissioner in Mysore,
Bangalore.

Sir,

We beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter no. 1817/44 27th Septr./3rd October enclosing copy of a telegram received by you from our Manager with reference to the bursting of the main pipe at the Central Distillery. We have to express our regret that the wording of this message was such as to cause you annoyance, and beg that you will accept our apologies. We are writing to our Manager on the subject. In reporting this matter to us, our Manager mentioned that it was a serious one, as this breakage entirely cut off the distillery from water that was to the

Value

Value of Rs 2500/- was ready for
distillation. The temperature of which
was falling, and if allowed to stand
the spirit would change into Vinegar.
He was aware that both yourself and
the Executive Engineer were out of
Bangalore. It fortunately happened
that the Assistant Engineer turned up
by accident at the distillery and it
was arranged for our own people to
temporarily repair the damage,
while the Assistant Engineer went
to find three pipes to replace the
broken ones. He could only send one,
and so we had to patch up the other
two to enable us to resume work
and our loss has been only a small
one. We mention these particulars
to show that this breakage was one
that demanded immediate attention,
which caused our Manager to be

rather

rather overzealous in bringing it to notice.

We have te

(Signed) Strutthers & Co

"c. by"

Excise Commissioner,

in Lupore.